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Police Department
of the
City of Buffalo



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For the Year Ending
December 31, 1927

COMPLIMENTS OF
JAMES W. HIGGINS
CHIEF OF POLICE



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HON. FRANK X. SCHWAB

Mayor and Commissioner of Public Safety



JAMES W. HIGGINS
Chief of Police

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVES OF THE BUFFALO POLICE DEPARTMENT

Since its formation as a uniformed force in the year 1866,
giving dates and duration of their service.

| | | Yrs. | Mos. | Days |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|------|------|------|
| Supt. David Reynolds* | May 7, 1866—March 6, 1870..... | 3 | 9 | 29 |
| Supt. Peter C. Doyle* | April 1, 1870—May 1, 1872..... | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Supt. John Byrne* | May 1, 1872—May 26, 1879..... | 7 | 0 | 25 |
| Supt. Wm. A. Phillips* | May 26, 1879—Jan. 14, 1880..... | 0 | 7 | 18 |
| Supt. William J. Wolf* | Jan. 14, 1880—Dec. 28, 1882..... | 2 | 11 | 14 |
| Supt. James H. Shepard* | Dec. 28, 1882—May 12, 1883..... | 0 | 4 | 14 |
| Supt. Thomas Curtin* | May 12, 1883—July 31, 1884..... | 1 | 2 | 19 |
| Supt. Wm. A. Phillips* | July 31, 1884—March 18, 1887 | 2 | 7 | 17 |
| Supt. Martin Morin* | March 18, 1887—Jan. 22, 1891 | 3 | 10 | 4 |
| Supt. Daniel Morgenstern* | Jan. 22, 1891—June 1, 1893..... | 2 | 4 | 9 |
| Supt. George Chambers* | June 1, 1893—March 7, 1894..... | 0 | 9 | 6 |
| Supt. William S. Bull* | March 7, 1894—Jan. 24, 1906 | 11 | 10 | 17 |
| Actg. Supt. John Martin | Jan. 24, 1906—April 23, 1906 | 0 | 3 | 29 |
| Supt. Michael Regan* | April 23, 1906—Dec. 24, 1915 | 9 | 8 | 1 |
| Chief John Martin | Jan. 1, 1916—Jan. 2, 1918..... | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Chief Henry J. Girvin | Jan. 2, 1918—May 1, 1919..... | 1 | 3 | 29 |
| Actg. Chief Jas. W. Higgins | Feb. 18, 1919—May 1, 1919..... | 0 | 2 | 13 |
| Chief James W. Higgins | May 1, 1919—Jan. 1, 1922..... | 2 | 8 | 0 |
| Chief John F. Burfeind* | Jan. 2, 1922—Dec. 31, 1923..... | 1 | 11 | 29 |
| Chief Chas. F. Zimmerman | Jan. 1, 1924—March 31, 1926 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Actg. Chief Jas. W. Higgins | Jan. 1, 1926—March 31, 1926 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Chief James W. Higgins | April 1, 1926— | | | |

* Deceased.

Department of Public Safety

POLICE

HON. FRANK X. SCHWAB
Mayor and Commissioner of Public Safety

JAMES W. HIGGINS
Chief of Police

JOHN S. MARNON
Deputy Chief of Police

FRANK J. CARR
Deputy Chief of Police

THOMAS J. GILLIGAN, *Inspector*

JAMES HYLAND, *Inspector*

AUSTIN J. ROCHE
Chief of Detectives

JOHN G. REVILLE, *Assistant Chief of Detectives.*

EMANUEL SCHUH, *Assistant Chief of Detectives.*

EDWIN A. BOWERMAN, *Surgeon.*

VICTOR A. TYRASINSKI, *Assistant Surgeon.*

GEORGE A. SCHMIDT, *Chief Desk Lieutenant.*

THOMAS COYLE, *Assistant Chief Desk Lieutenant.*

JOHN E. REGAN, *Clerk to the Chief of Police.*

JOSEPH T. WHITWELL, *Chief of the Bertillon System.*

JAMES CONNORS, *Assistant Chief of the Bertillon System.*

REINHOLD SCHULZ, *Photographer.*

HENRY W. ALT, *Supt. of Motive Power and Supplies.*

LEO ROWLAND, *Chief of the Police Signal System.*

WILLIAM B. FAIRBAIRN, *Asst. Chief of the Police Signal System.*

WILLIAM HILDEBRAND, *Clerk (Bureau) and Property Clerk.*

JACOB J. GAISER, *Stenographer.*

ANNUAL REPORT

OFFICE OF CHIEFS OF POLICE

HON. FRANK X. SCHWAB,

Mayor,

Buffalo, N. Y.

Sir:—

I have the honor to submit, herewith the Fifty-fourth Annual Report of the Buffalo City Police Department, for the year ending December 31st, 1927, and the Twelfth Annual Report under the Commission Charter.

Miscellaneous property to the value of \$151,363.83 was reported stolen, of which property to the value of \$56,557.18, or 37.23 per cent, was recovered. Miscellaneous property to the value of \$8,680.88 was reported as lost, of which \$1,808.98, or 20.71 per cent was found. In addition, property to the value of \$19,762.25 was recovered on complaints from other cities.

Bicycles, motorcycles and horse-drawn vehicles to the value of \$3,815.00 were stolen, of which \$1,475.00, or 38.63 per cent, was recovered.

Automobiles to the value of \$833,700.00 were stolen, of which property to the value of \$814,500.00, or 97.69 per cent., was recovered. Automobiles to the number of 2,444 were reported stolen in the city, of which 2,316, or 94.76 per cent, were recovered. The total number of automobiles reported stolen in 1927 and not recovered in 1927 was 128. Automobiles to the number of 63 stolen prior to January 1st, 1927, were recovered. In addition to the above, 134 automobiles were recovered on complaints from other cities. A total number of 424 automobile thieves were arrested.

The total number of arrests made during the year was 28,359, a decrease of 1,951, as compared with the year 1926.

In conclusion, I wish to express to the members of The Council my thanks for the co-operation that has been extended to the department during the past year.

Attached you will find statistical information.

Respectfully,

JAMES W. HIGGINS,
Chief of Police.

SALARIES OF MEMBERS OF THE DEPARTMENT

THE FORCE

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Chief of Police..... | \$5,800 |
| Deputy Chief of Police..... | 3,800-4,300 |
| Deputy Chief (Nights)..... | 3,300-3,800 |
| Inspectors | 3,600-3,800 |
| Chief of Detectives..... | 3,600-3,800 |
| Assistant Chief of Detectives..... | 2,540-2,780 |
| Chief Desk Lieutenant..... | 2,540-2,780 |
| Assistant Chief Desk Lieutenant..... | 2,240-2,300 |
| Surgeon | 2,820-3,060 |
| Assistant Surgeon | 2,150 |
| Chief Bertillon System..... | 2,750 |
| Assistant Chief Bertillon System..... | 2,360-2,480 |
| Photographer | 2,120-2,240 |
| Clerk (Bureau) and Property Clerk..... | 2,540-2,780 |
| Superintendent Motive Power and Supplies..... | 2,750 |
| Captains | 2,540-2,780 |
| Chief of Traffic..... | 2,360-2,480 |
| Lieutenants | 2,240-2,300 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 2,000-2,120 |
| Chief Park Patrolman | 2,240-2,300 |
| Detective Sergeants | 2,120,2,240 |
| Detectives | 2,120 |
| Patrolmen | 1,700-2,000 |
| Policewomen | 1,460-1,700 |

CIVILIANS

| | |
|--|---------------|
| Clerk to the Chief of Police | \$2,540-2-780 |
| Stenographer | 2,120-2,510 |
| Chief of the Police Signal System | 2,750 |
| Assistant Chief of Police Signal System..... | 2,360-2,600 |
| Photographer | 2,120-2,240 |
| Linemen | 1,760-2,000 |
| Instrumentman | 2,120 |
| Assistant Instrument Repairer | 1,760-2,000 |
| Construction Foreman | 2,240 |
| Batteryman | 2,120 |

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|
| Superintendent of Extensions | 3,300 |
| Switchboardman | 2,090 |
| Cable Splicer | \$6.50 per day |
| Cable Splicer Helper | 5.33 per day |
| Foreman Mechanical Division | 2,360-2,600 |
| Mechanics Assistants | 1,700-2,000 |
| Mechanics Helpers | 1,550-1,700 |
| Marine Engineer | 1,820-2,120 |
| Woodworking Machinist | 2,000 |
| Tool Dresser | 1,700-2,000 |
| Stenographer-Clerk | 1,940-2,000 |
| Clerk | 1,310-1,700 |
| Janitor, No. 1 and Headquarters..... | 2,850 |
| Janitors, No. 3, 15, 16 and 17..... | 1,700 |
| Janitresses | 1,140-1,220 |
| Laborers | \$4.50 per day |
| Watchman | 1,460-1,700 |
| Matrons | 1,280-1,400 |
| Porter | 1,550 |

Note: To the above salaries excepting the Chief, Deputy Chiefs, Inspectors, Chief of Detectives, Cable Splicer, Cable Splicer's Helper, and Laborers, a bonus of \$250.00 per annum is added.

POLICE HEADQUARTERS

Corner Seneca and Franklin Streets

JAMES W. HIGGINS, *Chief*

| | |
|--|-----|
| Chief of Police..... | 1 |
| Deputy Chiefs of Police..... | 2 |
| Inspectors | 2 |
| Surgeon | 1 |
| Assistant Surgeon | 1 |
| Captains | 2 |
| Chief Desk Lieutenant..... | 1 |
| Assistant Chief Desk Lieutenant..... | 1 |
| Chief of Traffic..... | 1 |
| Clerk (Bureau) and Property Clerk..... | 1 |
| Desk Lieutenants, divers duties..... | 25 |
| Lieutenants | 1 |
| Superintendent of Motive Power and Supplies..... | 1 |
| Patrolmen, assigned divers duties..... | 99 |
| <hr/> | |
| Total | 139 |

DETECTIVE BUREAU**Police Headquarters**

Seneca and Franklin Streets

JOHN S. MARNON, *Deputy Chief, Commanding.*

AUSTIN J. ROCHE, *Chief of Detectives.*

| | |
|------------------------------------|----|
| Assistant Chief of Detectives..... | 2 |
| Lieutenants | 1 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 2 |
| Detective Sergeants | 44 |
| Detectives | 23 |
| Patrolmen | 11 |
| Policewomen | 5 |

FIRST PRECINCT

Station House, Seneca and Franklin Streets

Captain HARVEY W. FOGELSONGER

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Lieutenants | 6 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 3 |
| Detectives | 5 |
| Patrolmen | 97 |
| Area of Precinct, square miles..... | 1.65 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 16.81 |

BOUNDARY

The First Precinct embraces the territory within the following described boundaries, viz.: South Michigan and Michigan Avenue to Eagle Street, to Niagara Street, to Virginia Street, and a continuation thereof, westerly to its intersection with the westerly line of the State of New York, thence southerly and easterly along said State Line to its intersection with the southerly continuation of South Michigan Avenue.

SECOND PRECINCT

Station House, 500 South Division Street

Captain JOHN DRISCOLL

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Lieutenants | 5 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 3 |
| Detectives | 2 |
| Patrolmen | 35 |
| Matrons | 5 |
| Area of Precinct, square miles..... | 0.72 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 21.47 |

BOUNDARY

The Second Precinct embraces the territory within the following described boundaries, viz.: Michigan Avenue, from the site of the old Hamburg Canal to Clinton Street, to Fillmore Avenue, to Smith Street, to Perry Street, to Hamburg Street, to the site of the old Hamburg Canal, to Michigan Avenue.

THIRD PRECINCT

Station House, 425 Pearl Street

Captain EDWARD J. HEALY

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Lieutenants | 9 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 3 |
| Detectives | 4 |
| Patrolmen | 82 |
| Area of Precinct, square miles..... | 0.87 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 26.43 |

BOUNDARY

The Third Precinct embraces the territory within the following described boundaries, viz.: Niagara Street, from Eagle Street to Virginia Street, to Elmwood Avenue, to North Street, to Michigan Avenue, to Eagle Street, to Niagara Street.

FOURTH PRECINCT

Station House, Sycamore and Ash Streets.

Captain THOMAS H. FLESH

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Lieutenants | 5 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 3 |
| Detectives | 4 |
| Patrolmen | 41 |
| Area of Precinct, square miles..... | 0.78 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 20.91 |

BOUNDARY

The Fourth Precinct embraces the territory within the following described boundaries, viz.: Michigan Avenue from Clinton Street to North Street, to Jefferson Avenue, to Clinton Street, to Michigan Avenue.

FIFTH PRECINCT

Station House, Delavan Avenue and Greenwood Place

Captain DANIEL G. REGAN

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Lieutenants | 3 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 3 |
| Detectives | 3 |
| Patrolmen | 33 |
| Area of Precinct, square miles..... | 2.19 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 39.10 |

BOUNDARY

The Fifth Precinct embraces the territory within the following described boundaries, viz.: Elmwood Avenue, from West Utica Street to the center line of Scajaquada Creek, along said center line and the westerly continuation thereof to the westerly line of the State of New York, southerly along said line to the intersection with the westerly continuation of the center line of Massachusetts Avenue to Front Avenue, to Rhode Island Street, to West Utica Street, to Elmwood Avenue.

SIXTH PRECINCT

Station House, 1444 Main Street

Captain URIAH S. ULRICH

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Lieutenants | 3 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 3 |
| Detectives | 2 |
| Patrolmen | 43 |
| Area of Precinct, square miles..... | 2.72 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 54.79 |

BOUNDARY

The Sixth Precinct embraces the territory within the following described boundaries, viz.: North Street from Elmwood Avenue to Jefferson Avenue, to Best Street, to Roehrer Avenue, to East Ferry Street, to Humboldt Parkway, to East Delavan Avenue, to Fillmore Avenue, to Kensington Avenue, to Humboldt Parkway, to Agassiz Place, to Delaware Park, along southern line of Delaware Park to Delaware Avenue, to Rumsey Road, to Lincoln Parkway, to south line of Delaware Park, Penhurst Park to Penhurst Place, to Elmwood Avenue, to North Street.

SEVENTH PRECINCT

Station House, 355 Louisiana Street

Captain WILLIAM H. MILAN

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Lieutenants | 4 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 3 |
| Detectives | 2 |
| Patrolmen | 33 |
| Area of Precinct, square miles..... | 3.90 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 24.13 |

BOUNDARY

The Seventh Precinct embraces the territory within the following described boundaries, viz.: South Michigan Avenue and Michigan Avenue to the site of the old Hamburg Canal to Hamburg Street, to Perry Street, to Smith Street, to Buffalo River to the N. Y. C. R. R. tracks to the City Line and westerly continuation thereof to its intersection with the southerly line of the State of New York, westerly along said line to its intersection with the southerly continuation of the center line of South Michigan Avenue.

EIGHTH PRECINCT

Station House, 647 Fillmore Avenue

Captain JEREMIAH O'BRIEN

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Lieutenants | 3 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 3 |
| Detectives | 5 |
| Patrolmen | 58 |
| Area of Precinct, square miles..... | 1.49 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 38.85 |

BOUNDARY

The Eighth Precinct embraces the territory within the following described boundaries, viz.: Clinton Street, from Jefferson Avenue to the junction of Babcock Street, west of the Erie R. R. tracks, northerly along Babcock Street to William Street, thence north to the N. Y. C. R. R. "Y" to Newton Street, along the westerly line of the N. Y. C. R. R. Belt Line to Sycamore Street, to Jefferson Avenue to Clinton Street.

NINTH PRECINCT

Station House, Seneca and Babcock Streets

Captain JAMES E. SHORT

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Lieutenants | 4 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 3 |
| Detectives | 2 |
| Patrolmen | 40 |
| Area of Precinct, square miles..... | 3.07 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 45.01 |

BOUNDARY

The Ninth Precinct embraces the territory within the following described boundaries, viz.: Clinton Street, from the City Line to Bailey Avenue, to the junction of Dingens Street, thence westerly along the center line of Dingens Street to its intersection with Babcock Street. along Babcock Street, west of the Erie R. R. tracks to Clinton Street, to Fillmore Avenue, to Smith Street, to Buffalo River, thence easterly along Buffalo River to Cazenovia Creek, to Cazenovia Street, to Abbott Road, thence along Abbott Road and Potter Road to the southeasterly boundary of Cazenovia Park, northeasterly along this boundary to Cazenovia Creek, easterly along the Creek to the City Line, thence along the City Line to Clinton Street, the place of beginning.

TENTH PRECINCT

Station House, 566 Niagara Street

Captain JOHN J. CREAHAN

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Lieutenants | 3 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 3 |
| Detectives | 4 |
| Patrolmen | 35 |
| Area of Precinct, square miles..... | 1.38 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 24.31 |

BOUNDARY

The Tenth Precinct embraces the territory within the following described boundaries, viz.: Virginia Street, from the river front to Elmwood Avenue, to West Utica Street, to Rhode Island Street, to Front Avenue, to Massachusetts Avenue, to the westerly line of the State of New York, along said line to its intersection with the continuation of the westerly line of Virginia Street.

ELEVENTH PRECINCT

Station House, Broadway and Bailey Avenue

Captain MICHAEL MORRISEY

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Lieutenants | 3 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 3 |
| Detectives | 3 |
| Patrolmen | 31 |
| Area of Precinct, square miles..... | 3.10 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 36.94 |

BOUNDARY

The Eleventh Precinct embraces the territory within the following described boundaries, viz.: Clinton Street from the City Line to Bailey, to the junction of Dings Street, Westerly along the continuation of the center line of Dings Street to its intersection with Babcock Street, to William Street. thence directly north to the N. Y. C. R. R. "Y" to Newton Street, along the westerly line of the N. Y. C. R. R. Belt Line tracks to Sycamore Street, to Walden Avenue, to the City Line, to Clinton Street.

TWELFTH PRECINCT

Station House, 1186 Genesee Street

Captain GEORGE KRESS

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Lieutenants | 4 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 3 |
| Detectives | 3 |
| Patrolmen | 45 |
| Area of Precinct, square miles..... | 4.06 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 55.26 |

BOUNDARY

The Twelfth Precinct embraces the territory within the following described boundaries, viz.: Walden Avenue from the City Line to Sycamore Street, to Jefferson Avenue, to Best Street, to Roehrer Avenue, to East Ferry Street, to Humboldt Parkway, to East Delavan Avenue, to Grider Street, to East Ferry Street, to Bailey Avenue, to Genesee Street, to City Line, and southerly along said City Line to Walden Avenue and the place of beginning.

THIRTEENTH PRECINCT

Station House, Austin Street and Joslyn Place

Captain TIMOTHY F. MURRAY

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Lieutenants | 3 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 3 |
| Detectives | 3 |
| Patrolmen | 42 |
| Area of Precinct, square miles..... | 3.05 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 41.74 |

BOUNDARY

The Thirteenth Precinct embraces the territory within the following described boundaries, viz.: Elmwood Avenue City Line to center line of Scajaquada Creek, along said center of line and a continuation thereof to its intersection with the westerly line of the State of New York, along said state line to its intersection with the westerly continuation of the city line, along said city line to Elmwood Avenue.

FOURTEENTH PRECINCT

Station House, 2895 Main Street

Captain ROBERT U. WINSPEAR

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Lieutenants | 3 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 3 |
| Detectives | 2 |
| Patrolmen | 30 |
| Area of Precinct, square miles..... | 3.15 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 51.29 |

BOUNDARY

The Fourteenth Precinct embraces the territory within the following described boundaries, viz.: East Delavan Avenue, from Fillmore to Grider Street, to Kensington Avenue, to the Erie R. R. tracks to Amherst Street, to Parkridge Avenue, to Winspear, to Bailey, to Main Street, southwest along Main Street to the City Line, to Starin Avenue to Amherst Street, to Parkside Avenue to Agassiz Place, to Humboldt Parkway, to Kensington Avenue, to Fillmore Avenue, to East Delavan Avenue point of beginning.

FIFTEENTH PRECINCT

Station House, Whitfield and South Park Avenue

Captain JAMES F. McDONALD

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Lieutenants | 3 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 3 |
| Detectives | 2 |
| Patrolmen | 33 |
| Area of Precinct, square miles..... | 3.66 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 40.89 |

BOUNDARY

The Fifteenth Precinct embraces the territory within the following described boundaries, viz.: Commencing at Smith Street and the Buffalo River, following the southerly course of the Buffalo River to its junction with Cazenovia Creek, thence along Cazenovia Creek to Cazenovia Street, south along Cazenovia Street, to Abbott Road, southeasterly along Abbott Road and Potter Road to southeasterly boundary of Cazenovia Park, thence northerly to Cazenovia Creek, thence easterly to the City Line and south City Line to the New York Central Railroad tracks, thence along said tracks to the Buffalo River, thence along Buffalo River to Smith Street, the place of beginning.

SIXTEENTH PRECINCT

Station House, Bailey and Collingwood Avenues

Established June 9, 1924

Captain EDWARD N. RAST

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Lieutenants | 4 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 3 |
| Detectives | 2 |
| Patrolmen | 26 |
| Area of Precinct, square miles..... | 3.23 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 65.11 |

BOUNDARY

The Sixteenth Precinct embraces the territory within the following described boundaries, viz.: Commencing at Grider Street and East Ferry Street, east to Bailey Avenue, to Genesee Street, to easterly City Line, northerly along the City Line and easterly continuation thereof to Bailey Avenue, to Winspear Avenue, to Parkridge Avenue, to Amherst Street to Delaware, Lackawanna & Western R. R. tracks, southerly along the east side of railroad bank to Kensington Avenue, thence to Grider Street, to East Ferry Street, the place of beginning.

SEVENTEENTH PRECINCT

Station House, Colvin and Linden Avenues

Established June 4, 1927

Captain JAMES McDONALD

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Lieutenants | 3 |
| Desk Lieutenants | 3 |
| Detectives | 2 |
| Patrolmen | 23 |
| Area of Precinct, square miles..... | 2.41 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 39.76 |

BOUNDARY

Starin Avenue City Line to Amherst Street, to Nottingham Terrace, to Elmwood Avenue, to City Line, along city line to Starin Avenue the point of beginning.

SUB SEVENTEENTH PRECINCT

Station House, Delaware Park, near the Boat House

Captain EDWARD A. THIERFELDT

| | |
|-------------------------------------|------|
| Chief Park Patrolman..... | 1 |
| Desk Lieutenant | 1 |
| Patrolmen | 14 |
| Area of Precinct, square miles..... | 0.57 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 5.50 |

BOUNDARY

The Sub-Seventeenth Precinct embraces the territory within the following described boundaries, viz.: Nottingham Terrace to Amherst, to Parkside, to the south side of Delaware Park, to Rumsey Road, to Lincoln Parkway, south line of Delaware Park to Elmwood Avenue, to Nottingham Terrace point of beginning.

CHANGES IN THE FORCE

APPOINTMENTS

| | | | | |
|------|----|---------------------------|-------|-------------------------|
| Feb. | 4 | Patrolman | ..... | Francis E. Shanahan |
| Mar. | 4 | " | ..... | John J. Warren |
| " | 4 | Mechanic Assistant | ..... | George M. Ressler |
| " | 18 | Patrolman | ..... | George T. Melody |
| " | 31 | Desk Lieutenant | ..... | John J. Keller |
| " | 31 | " | ..... | Theodore Orbank |
| " | 31 | " | ..... | Joseph M. Delaney |
| Apr. | 20 | Laborer | ..... | Anthony Lanza |
| May | 6 | Lieutenant | ..... | Charles Gorman |
| " | 6 | Patrolman | ..... | Albert J. Winzenried |
| " | 11 | Desk Lieutenant | ..... | Howard W. Milks |
| " | 12 | Patrolman | ..... | John W. Saunders |
| " | 12 | Tem'y Supt. of Extensions | ..... | Jacob Grimm |
| " | 12 | Janitor | ..... | William P. Schamber |
| " | 20 | Patrolman | ..... | Walter W. Tyburski |
| " | 20 | " | ..... | G. Ward Sears |
| " | 20 | Laborer | ..... | Andrew Stoessel |
| " | 26 | Temporary Janitor | ..... | Henry Latz |
| " | 27 | Patrolman | ..... | Elmer G. Zimmerman |
| June | 3 | Matron | ..... | Bertha Bresnahan |
| " | 3 | Janitress | ..... | Louisa Schultz |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Louisa Haberman |
| " | 3 | Laborer | ..... | Frank G. Zimmerman |
| " | 3 | Lineman | ..... | Charles J. Klaes |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Jerry B. Wood |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | James K. Buchanan |
| " | 3 | Captain | ..... | James McDonald |
| " | 3 | Lieutenant | ..... | William R. O'Donnell |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Walter J. Mahaney |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Charles E. Casey |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Martin J. Mulligan |
| " | 3 | Desk Lieutenant | ..... | Harold J. Droney |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Elwood L. Meyer |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Clarence E. W. Peterson |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Fred C. S. Raines |
| " | 3 | Patrolman | ..... | Norman C. Boldt |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Harold M. O'Neill |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Vertner Ryan |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Frederick W. Guderian |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Karl S. Kenefick |
| " | 3 | " | | Thomas J. Murphy |
| " | 3 | " | | Edward J. Beitz |
| " | 3 | " | | John J. Ryan |
| " | 3 | " | | Walter W. Geising |
| " | 3 | " | | Leonard Olt |

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|-------|----|----------------------------|-------|-------------------------|
| " | 3 | " | | Austin J. Curry |
| " | 3 | " | | Stanley Krasny |
| " | 3 | " | | Leo O. Atwell |
| " | 3 | " | | Arthur B. Morbusch |
| " | 3 | " | | Thomas D. Maloney |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Frank P. Reich |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | William A. Schultz |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Wilbur J. Garrett |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Christopher J. Rebhan |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Franklin E. Stranahan |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Timothy J. Driscoll |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Edward C. Dumke |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Ray J. Zimmerman |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Frank H. Tippelt, Jr. |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | George W. Simpson |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Joseph S. Tyrokowski |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Edward A. Kressin |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Charles J. Flynn |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Aloysious J. Heithecker |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | George Harrison |
| June | 10 | Patrolman | ..... | Joseph R. Barrett |
| " | 10 | Laborer | ..... | James W. Cairns |
| " | 10 | " | ..... | Joseph J. Herr |
| " | 10 | " | ..... | Elmer P. Smith |
| July | 6 | Patrolman | ..... | Frederick Bremer |
| " | 14 | Mechanic Helper | ..... | Daniel F. Domino |
| " | 14 | Wood Working Machinist | ..... | Max Durnick |
| " | 14 | Laborer | ..... | Victor Lichtenthal |
| " | 14 | " | ..... | Stephen Henle |
| " | 25 | " | ..... | Walter G. Carlin |
| " | 28 | Tool Dresser & Repairman | ..... | Frank A. Schwab |
| " | 28 | Laborer | ..... | Joseph Stein |
| " | 28 | " | ..... | John Hofstetter |
| " | 28 | " | ..... | Stephen Jordan |
| Aug. | 1 | Patrolman | ..... | Joseph Decker |
| " | 1 | " | ..... | Charles Albach, Jr. |
| " | 1 | " | ..... | Alvin M. Marthia |
| " | 1 | " | ..... | Clarence B. Tashenberg |
| " | 5 | " | ..... | Louis A. Reimondo |
| Sept. | 3 | Laborer | ..... | Harold T. Armstrong |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Andrew T. Kunzelman |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Michael Messing |
| " | 9 | Patrolmen | ..... | Calvin M. Dresen |
| " | 9 | " | ..... | Paul E. Kemp |
| " | 9 | " | ..... | Desmond R. Wonch |
| " | 9 | " | ..... | John B. Murphy, Jr. |
| " | 9 | " | ..... | Anthony J. Stachowski |
| " | 15 | Laborer | ..... | Jacob J. Pfanner |
| " | 22 | " | ..... | Charles W. Muhlfield |
| " | 28 | Stable Man | ..... | John Reger |
| Oct. | 13 | Laborer | ..... | Henry Zrenner |
| " | 14 | Chief Police Signal System | ..... | Leo J. Rowland |
| " | 19 | Mechanic Helper | ..... | Walter Carlin |
| " | 19 | " | ..... | William H. Lacey |
| " | 19 | Mechanic Assistant | ..... | Joseph Stein |

| | | | | |
|------|----|-----------------------------|-------|-----------------------|
| " | 19 | Porter | ..... | Louis Moss |
| " | 21 | Lieutenant | ..... | Eugene H. Radtke |
| " | 21 | Patrolman | ..... | Harvey R. Burrell |
| " | 24 | Clerk | ..... | Leo P. Boyle |
| " | 24 | Stenographer Clerk | ..... | William J. Creamer |
| " | 21 | Laborer | ..... | Philip J. Schlenker |
| Nov. | 4 | Captain | ..... | Patrick J. Ryan |
| " | 4 | " | ..... | Francis A. Bird |
| " | 4 | " | ..... | Frederick G. Eckner |
| " | 4 | Patrolman | ..... | John Kosmanski |
| " | 4 | " | ..... | Michael S. Orlowski |
| " | 4 | " | ..... | George Heber |
| " | 4 | " | ..... | Edmund E. McFarland |
| " | 4 | " | ..... | Fred. C. Ehler |
| " | 4 | " | ..... | John M. McCulle |
| " | 4 | " | ..... | James T. Reville |
| " | 10 | Laborer | ..... | Anthony Kurczynski |
| " | 16 | Millwright | ..... | Eugene W. Redlein |
| " | 17 | Laborer | ..... | Frank X. Scherer |
| " | 18 | Patrolman | ..... | George F. Tourjie |
| " | 18 | " | ..... | Albert J. Donohue |
| " | 18 | " | ..... | John J. Bresnahan |
| " | 18 | Lieutenant | ..... | Chester J. Staubitz |
| " | 18 | " | ..... | Arthur P. Werner |
| " | 18 | " | ..... | Alfred O. Gardner |
| Dec. | 7 | Lineman | ..... | Victor J. Marnon |
| " | 7 | " | ..... | Myles J. Sinnott |
| " | 7 | " | ..... | William J. Dolan |
| " | 7 | " | ..... | William F. Schultz |
| " | 7 | " | ..... | Charles Sist |
| Dec. | 8 | Laborer | ..... | Joseph G. Smaldino |
| " | 8 | " | ..... | Gordon Brennan |
| " | 8 | " | ..... | Thomas M. Bratton |
| " | 14 | Asst. Ch. Police Sig. Sys'm | ..... | William B. Fairbairn |
| " | 16 | Laborer | ..... | Charles F. Carney |
| " | 22 | Batteryman | ..... | Chester B. Kern |
| " | 22 | Laborer | ..... | Robert L. Boulfrois |
| " | 23 | Patrolman | ..... | Julius N. Beith |
| " | 31 | Laborer | ..... | Philip Schlenker, Jr. |
| " | 30 | Assistant Repairman | ..... | Francis Collins |
| " | 30 | Patrolman | ..... | William J. O'Brien |

REINSTATED

| | | | | |
|------|----|-----------|-------|----------------------|
| Mar. | 4 | Patrolman | ..... | John J. Warren |
| May | 6 | " | ..... | Albert J. Winzenried |
| June | 3 | " | ..... | Thomas D. Maloney |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | George Harrison |
| " | 3 | " | ..... | Frank P. Reich |
| July | 6 | " | ..... | Frederick Bremer |
| Oct. | 21 | " | ..... | Harvey R. Burrell |
| Nov. | 4 | " | ..... | John M. McCulle |
| " | 4 | " | ..... | James T. Reville |
| " | 18 | " | ..... | George F. Tourjie |
| Dec. | 21 | " | ..... | Julius N. Bieth |

REDUCTIONS

May 23 Detective to PatrolmanGeorge F. Tourjie

SUPERANNUATED

| | | | |
|---------|----------------------------|-------|----------------------|
| Feb. 1 | Detective Sergeant | ..... | Charles P. Morrissey |
| Aug. 1 | Lieutenant | ..... | Michael H. Cogan |
| " 1 | Patrolman | ..... | Frank Briel |
| " 1 | " | ..... | George Wyatt |
| " 1 | " | ..... | Joseph Smith |
| " 1 | " | ..... | Arthur J. Mooney |
| " 16 | Chief Police Signal System | ..... | Jacob Grimm |
| Sept. 1 | Patrolman | ..... | John J. H. Meier |
| Oct. 16 | Lieutenant | ..... | Charles H. Boyle |
| Nov. 1 | " | ..... | Robert L. Jantz |
| " 1 | Patrolman | ..... | Herbert Berryman |
| " 1 | " | ..... | Frank M. Tanner |
| " 1 | " | ..... | John Killilea |
| " 1 | " | ..... | John Hannon |
| " 1 | " | ..... | Dennis F. McGrath |
| Nov. 25 | " | ..... | Lee Drake |

RESIGNATIONS

| | | | |
|---------|-----------------|-------|----------------------|
| Mar. 5 | Patrolman | ..... | John J. Warren |
| " 15 | " | ..... | James T. Reville |
| " 18 | Desk Lieutenant | ..... | Raymond W. Murray |
| Apr. 17 | " " | ..... | Jacob F. Henry |
| May 19 | " " | ..... | John J. Keller |
| " 24 | Patrolman | ..... | George F. Tourjie |
| " 27 | Laborer | ..... | Clayton J. Allard |
| June 6 | Patrolman | ..... | Joseph S. Tyrakowski |
| Sept. 1 | " | ..... | Joseph R. Barrett |
| Nov. 25 | " | ..... | Julius N. Bieth |

PROMOTIONS

| | | | |
|---------|---------------------------------|-------|---------------------------|
| Feb. 1 | Detective to Detective Sergeant | ..... | Alex. F. Kelly |
| " 1 | Patrolman to Detective | ..... | Frank J. Brinkworth No. 1 |
| May 6 | Patrolman to Lieutenant | ..... | Charles Gorman |
| " 12 | Temporary Supt. of Extensions | ..... | Jacob Grimm |
| " 14 | Patrolman to Detective | ..... | Howard L. Weber |
| " 23 | Patrolman to Detective | ..... | Charles G. Reich |
| June 3 | Lieutenant to Captain | ..... | James McDonald |
| " 3 | Patrolman to Lieutenant | ..... | William R. O'Donnell |
| " 3 | Patrolman to Lieutenant | ..... | Walter J. Mahaney |
| " 3 | Patrolman to Lieutenant | ..... | Charles E. Casey |
| " 3 | Patrolman to Lieutenant | ..... | Martin J. Mulligan |
| " 3 | Patrolman to Detective | ..... | William H. Fitzgibbons |
| " 3 | Patrolman to Detective | ..... | John Golombeck |
| " 3 | Patrolman to Detective | ..... | Peter J. Travers |
| " 3 | Patrolman to Detective | ..... | Frank J. Hauser, Sr. |
| Sept. 9 | Patrolman to Lieutenant | ..... | Charles M. Hastings |
| " 9 | Patrolman to Lieutenant | ..... | George A. D. Knoll |

| | | |
|---------|--|----------------------|
| Oct. 19 | Chief Police Signal System..... | Leo J. Rowland |
| " 21 | Patrolman to Lieutenant..... | Eugene H. Radtke |
| " 28 | Patrolman to Detective..... | Charles F. Schultz |
| Nov. 4 | Lieutenant to Captain..... | Patrick J. Ryan |
| " 4 | Lieutenant to Captain..... | Francis A. Bird |
| " 4 | Lieutenant to Captain..... | Fred. G. Eckner |
| " 18 | Patrolman to Lieutenant..... | Chester J. Staubitz |
| " 18 | Patrolman to Lieutenant..... | Arthur P. Werner |
| " 18 | Patrolman to Lieutenant..... | Alfred O. Gardner |
| " 18 | Patrolman to Detective..... | Patrick J. Hoar |
| " 18 | Patrolman to Detective..... | Thomas J. McNamara |
| Dec. 14 | Batteryman to Asst. Chief Police Signal System..... | William B. Fairbairn |
| " 22 | Asst. Instrument Repairman to Batteryman..... | Chester B. Kern |

DIED

| | | |
|---------|------------|--------------------------|
| Apr. 11 | Lieutenant |Joseph D. Lynch |
| " 20 | Patrolman |Aloysius J. Winter |
| May 14 | " |Grant B. Shook |
| July 25 | Lieutenant |John J. Ryan No. 1 |
| " 31 | Patrolman |Edward F. O'Grady |
| Sept. 2 | " |Thomas F. Hayes |
| Oct. 21 | Detective |William E. Wilkie |
| Dec. 20 | Laborer |Andrew Stoessel |
| " 21 | Patrolman |Albert H. Kink |
| " 30 | Laborer |Philip J. Schlenker |

DROPPED FROM THE ROLLS

| | | |
|--------|-----------|------------------|
| July 5 | Patrolman |George Lang |
|--------|-----------|------------------|

DISTRIBUTION OF THE FORCE

| | HD. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | Sub | Tot. |
|--------------------------------|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|------|
| Chief of Police..... | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Deputy Chiefs of Police..... | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| Inspectors..... | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| Chief of Detectives..... | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Asst. Chief of Detectives..... | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| Chief Desk Lieutenant..... | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Asst. Chief Desk Lieut..... | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Captains..... | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 23 |
| Lieutenants..... | 2 | 6 | 5 | 9 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 70 |
| Chief Park Patrolman..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Desk Lieutenants..... | 27 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 79 |
| Detective Sergeants..... | 44 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 44 |
| Detectives..... | 25 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | | 75 |
| Patrolmen..... | 110 | 97 | 35 | 82 | 41 | 33 | 43 | 33 | 58 | 40 | 35 | 31 | 45 | 42 | 30 | 33 | 26 | 23 | 14 | 851 |
| Chief Bertillon System..... | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Asst. Chief Ber. System..... | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Supt. Mo. Power & Sup..... | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Policewomen..... | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| Chief of Traffic..... | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Surgeon..... | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Assistant Surgeon..... | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Property Clerk (Bureau)..... | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Totals..... | 232 | 113 | 46 | 99 | 55 | 43 | 52 | 43 | 71 | 50 | 46 | 41 | 56 | 52 | 39 | 42 | 36 | 32 | 17 | 1165 |

CIVILIANS

| | |
|--|----------------|
| The Mayor, Commissioner of Public Safety..... | 1 |
| Clerk to the Chief of Police..... | 1 |
| Photographer | 1 |
| Stenographer | 1 |
| Superintendent of Extensions..... | 1 |
| Stenographer-Clerk | 1 |
| Clerk | 1 |
| Chief Police Signal System..... | 1 |
| Asst' Chief Police Signal System..... | 1 |
| Construction Foreman | 1 |
| Foreman, Garage | 1 |
| Instrumentman | 1 |
| Asst. Instrument Repairer..... | 1 |
| Batteryman | 1 |
| Cable Splicer | 1 |
| Cable Splicer Helper..... | 1 |
| Switchboardman | 1 |
| Linemen | 15 |
| Asst. Marine Engineer..... | 1 |
| Mechanic's Assistants..... | 10 |
| Mechanic's Helpers | 14 |
| Wood Working Machinist..... | 1 |
| Tool Dresser | 1 |
| Millwright | 1 |
| Matrons | 5 |
| Janitors | 5 |
| Janitresses | 16 |
| Watchman | 1 |
| Stableman | 1 |
| Porter | 1 |
| Laborers | 36 |
| <hr/> | |
| Civilians | 125 |
| Members of the Force..... | 1,165 |
| <hr/> | |
| Total Personnel | 1,290 |
| <hr/> | |
| Population of the City of Buffalo (1920 Census) | 506,775 |
| Area in square miles..... | 42 |
| Lineal miles of streets..... | 648.30 |
| Appropriation fiscal year ending July 1, 1928 | \$2,800,872.53 |

SQUAD DETAILS

| | HD | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | Sub | Tot. |
|--------------------------------|----|----|---|----|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|------|
| Bicycle Squad..... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 20 |
| (April 1—December 31) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| H. D. Motorcycle Squad*..... | 21 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 21 |
| Precinct Motorcycle Squad..... | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 19 |
| (April 1—December 31) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mounted Squad*..... | 33 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 33 |
| Precinct Patrolling Autos..... | | | | | | 3 | 1 | | | | | | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | | | | 13 |
| Patrol Boat..... | 10 | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 |
| (April 20—December 31) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Traffic Squad*..... | 26 | | | 31 | | | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 59 |
| Totals..... | 64 | 27 | 1 | 33 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 175 |

* Squads are on duty the year around.

Members of the H. D. Motorcycle Squad during the Winter season are on foot engaged in various duties in connection with traffic.

Members of the precinct bicycle and motorcycle squads become foot patrolmen during the Winter season in their respective precincts.

PERMANENT DETAILS OF PATROLMEN

| | HD | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | Sub | Tot. |
|--------------------------------|----|-----|---|---|----|---|----|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|------|
| Airport..... | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| Art Gallery..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Auto. Patrols..... | | 7 | | | 7 | | | 7 | 7 | | | | | 7 | | | | | | 42 |
| Auto. Squad..... | 2 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 |
| Berillon System..... | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6 |
| Cheuffers..... | 7 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | 7 |
| Chief's Office (nights)..... | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | | 1 | | | | | | | 3 |
| Children's Court..... | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | 2 |
| City Treasurer..... | | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| City Court..... | 2 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| Corp. Counsel..... | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Dry Squad..... | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| Garage..... | | 8 | | | | | 1 | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | 10 |
| Health Department..... | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Historical Building..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| Hotel DeGink—Statler..... | | 3-3 | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 | 1 | | | | | 6 |
| Markets..... | | | | 4 | | | | 4 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | 15 |
| Mayor's Office..... | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Mounted Barn..... | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Natural Science Building..... | | | | | | | | | | 2 | | 2 | | | | 2 | | | 1 | 1 |
| Parks..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Pistol Range..... | | | | | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 14 | 20 |
| Prison Van..... | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| Property Clerk's Office..... | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| R. R. Depots, Crossings..... | | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| Record Bureau..... | 11 | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | | | | | | | 12 |
| Second Hand Stores..... | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| School Census..... | 3 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 11 |
| State Compensation..... | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Station House Post..... | 1 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | | 51 |
| Stock Yards..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| Supt. Motive Power*..... | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Summons, White Tag Office..... | | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| Telephone Switchboard..... | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| Vice Squad..... | 2 | 1 | 2 | | 2 | | | 1 | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | 9 |
| Vice Squad (Oak St.)..... | | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| Watchmen H. D..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| Welfare Bureau..... | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| Zoo..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Picture Shows..... | | | 1 | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| Switchboard, Det. Bureau..... | 2 | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| Totals..... | 55 | 47 | 6 | 9 | 16 | 4 | 10 | 8 | 16 | 12 | 8 | 4 | 7 | 15 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 18 | 251 |

* January 1, to November 4, 1927.

ANNUAL REPORT DEPARTMENT OF POLICE

TEMPORARY DETAIL SCHEDULE

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | Sub | Total |
|------------------------|------|------|-------|------|------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|------|------|-------|-------|------|------|-----|--------|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | Hours |
| Athletics..... | 41 | 70 | 84 | 35 | 75 | 96 | 27 | | | 73 | 32 | 240 | 267 | 25 | 70 | 105 | | 1240 |
| Band Concerts..... | 68 | 17 | 36 | 27 | 44 | 22 | 7 | | 165 | 33 | 10 | 72 | 91 | 54 | 9 | 47 | 36 | 855 |
| Banks..... | 368 | | 670 | 402 | 575 | | | 495 | 108 | 461 | | 1100 | 633 | 672 | 437 | 396 | | 6649 |
| Baseball..... | 30 | 100 | 400 | 455 | 363 | | | | 616 | 332 | 236 | | 571 | 385 | 137 | 285 | | 332 |
| Basketball..... | 15 | 25 | 74 | 168 | 47 | 144 | 56 | 172 | | 181 | 18 | | 125 | 94 | 14 | 155 | | 5182 |
| Boxing..... | 113 | 240 | 64 | 386 | 332 | 170 | 132 | 100 | 107 | 228 | 107 | 95 | 440 | 242 | 107 | 368 | | 161304 |
| Carnivals..... | 34 | | 12 | 236 | 182 | 450 | 114 | 112 | | 332 | 208 | 30 | 106 | 4 | | | | 130361 |
| Circuses..... | 84 | 15 | 308 | 320 | 35 | 35 | 144 | | | 67 | | | 247 | 208 | 108 | 183 | | 161841 |
| Conventions..... | | 10 | 89 | 177 | 11 | 22 | 54 | | | 7 | 3 | | | 24 | | | | 1754 |
| Concerts..... | | | 129 | 37 | | | | | | 146 | | | | | | | | 397 |
| Dances..... | 112 | 270 | 348 | 226 | 388 | 545 | 269 | 780 | 177 | 550 | 86 | 286 | 476 | 278 | 43 | 487 | | 312 |
| Fires..... | 88 | 210 | 32 | 42 | 53 | 77 | 435 | 113 | 65 | 71 | 202 | 21 | 139 | 155 | 75 | 52 | | 5431 |
| Fireworks..... | 17 | 75 | 63 | 20 | 8 | | 18 | | | 8 | 12 | | 152 | 12 | | 11 | | 1842 |
| Fire Headquarters..... | | | | | | | | | | | | 400 | | | | | | 396 |
| Football..... | 6 | 50 | 96 | 102 | 93 | 388 | | 84 | 260 | 102 | 46 | 50 | 177 | 145 | | 157 | | 400 |
| Funerals..... | 30 | 65 | 71 | 44 | 29 | 63 | 13 | 37 | 33 | 51 | 18 | 14 | 57 | 20 | 9 | 31 | | 1849 |
| Hospitals..... | | 1400 | | 105 | 730 | | | | | | | 548 | | 552 | | 1164 | | 591 |
| Ice Skating..... | 6 | 10 | 15 | 13 | 5 | 29 | 20 | | 323 | 18 | 90 | 21 | 209 | 44 | 25 | 16 | | 4499 |
| Meetings..... | 271 | 65 | 147 | 50 | 30 | 54 | 31 | 35 | | 611 | | | 56 | 43 | 288 | 8 | | 844 |
| Miscellaneous..... | 1979 | 980 | 17581 | 772 | 1616 | 5033 | 16137 | 2168 | 7698 | 7532 | 5116 | 3650 | 2207 | 2036 | 3493 | 392 | | 1733 |
| Paymasters..... | 1901 | 330 | | 30 | 50 | 6 | 408 | 455 | 1045 | 7 | 605 | 140 | 1177 | 391 | | | | 78677 |
| Regattas..... | | | 22 | 6 | | | | | | 19 | | | 288 | 17 | | 16 | | 22 |
| Schools..... | 1731 | 2400 | 1596 | 1497 | 1618 | 2854 | 1215 | 3654 | 1605 | 1394 | 1272 | 570 | 4249 | 4262 | 2973 | 2461 | | 6567 |
| Street Dances..... | | | 15 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 16 |
| Strikes..... | 1 | | 27 | 59 | | 152 | 240 | | | | 813 | | 38 | | | | | 36330 |
| Theatres..... | 8 | | 1122 | 39 | 83 | 55 | | | | 37 | | | | 127 | | 57 | | 15 |
| Traffic..... | | 590 | | 561 | 362 | 634 | | | 1906 | 29 | | 460 | 1047 | 223 | 3660 | 7 | | 1367 |
| Weddings..... | 10 | | 31 | | 25 | 24 | | | | 40 | 4 | | 2 | 6 | 20 | 3 | | 2364 |
| Total Hours..... | 6909 | 6922 | 23578 | 5625 | 7026 | 11221 | 10394 | 8205 | 14108 | 12395 | 8878 | 7697 | 12748 | 10019 | 7975 | 9507 | 428 | 176328 |

1 year—365 days
1 tour—8 hours

176,328 hours lost in one year

483 hours lost in one day

60 men taken from patrol force each day.

**DAILY AVERAGE STRENGTH
PATROL FORCE
1927**

| | | |
|--|-----|-------|
| Total number of patrolmen..... | 851 | |
| Less permanent details..... | 251 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | 600 |
| Less squad members..... | | 175 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | 425 |
| Average daily absentees of patrolmen assigned to patrol duty: | | |
| Weekly and annual vacations..... | 74 | |
| Permanent details on W. V. and A. V. relieved by members of the regular patrol force..... | 18 | |
| Sick | 34 | |
| Temporary details..... | 60 | 186 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total number of patrolmen available for foot duty | | 239 |

During the winter months members of the bicycle and precinct motorcycle squads and patrol boat crew are taken from their detail and assigned to foot patrol duty in the precincts. This reduces the number of men in the squads but increases the number available for foot patrol duty.

MISCELLANEOUS DUTIES

| Precinct | Fires Attended | Fire Alarms given by officers | Fires Extinguished by officers no alarms | Doors and windows of business places found open and secured |
|------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------------|---|--|
| No. 1..... | 103 | 4 | 0 | 162 |
| No. 2..... | 60 | 3 | 0 | 64 |
| No. 3..... | 78 | 5 | 3 | 241 |
| No. 4..... | 88 | 0 | 0 | 104 |
| No. 5..... | 137 | 2 | 1 | 64 |
| No. 6..... | 184 | 2 | 3 | 108 |
| No. 7..... | 119 | ..... | 2 | 130 |
| No. 8..... | 163 | ..... | ..... | 134 |
| No. 9..... | 65 | ..... | ..... | 79 |
| No. 10..... | 118 | 2 | ..... | 79 |
| No. 11..... | 81 | 1 | 1 | 39 |
| No. 12..... | 131 | 2 | 2 | 256 |
| No. 13..... | 78 | 5 | 3 | 146 |
| No. 14..... | 87 | 1 | 0 | 175 |
| No. 15..... | 121 | 0 | 0 | 84 |
| No. 16..... | 86 | 0 | 0 | 145 |
| No. 17..... | 40 | 0 | 2 | 75 |
| Sub. No. 17..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Totals..... | 1739 | 27 | 17 | 2090 |

TRAFFIC DIVISION

The following is the yearly record for 1927, showing the work performed by the Traffic Division, also a record of vehicular accidents and of the White Tag System.

MOUNTED PATROL REPORT

| Officer | Arrests | Summons | Property Recovered | Tags | Fines |
|--|---------|---------|--------------------|--------|------------|
| Alfred J. Sendker, Lieut..... | 16 | 42 | \$ 600.00 | 131 | \$ 305.00 |
| Alexander Kubera | 7 | 53 | None | 503 | 115.00 |
| Albert A. Brach..... | 1 | 45 | 200.00 | 807 | 215.00 |
| Fred. H. Rambuss..... | 1 | 55 | None | 356 | 170.00 |
| Nelson Boyd | 10 | 60 | 600.00 | 610 | 120.00 |
| Raymond E. Doyle..... | 1 | 81 | None | 279 | 200.00 |
| Howard Leininger | None | 42 | 200.00 | 293 | 210.00 |
| Arthur H. Naukam..... | 1 | 35 | 200.00 | 382 | 150.00 |
| John Carmody | 2 | 53 | None | 794 | 185.00 |
| Raymond J. Zimmerman..... | None | ..... | None | 34 | None |
| John B. Zeitler..... | 2 | 12 | 2,900.00 | 794 | 95.00 |
| Henry J. Wunderlich..... | 12 | 12 | 1,967.00 | 192 | 80.00 |
| John W. Crotty..... | 17 | 30 | 400.00 | 329 | 60.00 |
| Murray Wright, detailed to vice squad | | | | | |
| Albert J. Butler..... | None | 3 | None | None | 20.00 |
| Richard R. Hunt..... | None | None | None | 147 | None |
| Frank R. McGuire..... | 2 | 5 | None | 965 | 15.00 |
| Richard L. Jenkins..... | None | 2 | None | 41 | 10.00 |
| Ronald N. Price..... | 2 | 2 | 400.00 | 1,025 | 25.00 |
| Kurt R. Lipsius..... | None | 14 | None | 298 | 65.00 |
| Raymond H. Miller..... | None | 3 | None | 658 | 5.00 |
| George F. Bach..... | None | 83 | None | 1,486 | 275.00 |
| Valentine J. Thorn..... | 3 | 22 | 200.00 | 927 | 125.00 |
| Raymond J. Kolb..... | 2 | 19 | 300.00 | 918 | 80.00 |
| George Thessen | 2 | 10 | 400.00 | 343 | 90.00 |
| Gert Lipsius | None | 2 | None | 212 | 25.00 |
| Walter Jabcuga | 11 | 10 | None | 507 | 55.00 |
| Geo. W. Smith, detailed to barn as hostler | | | | | |
| J. Lester Connolly..... | 3 | 4 | 400.00 | 129 | 470.00 |
| Harry F. Cunningham..... | 1 | 6 | None | 142 | 10.00 |
| John J. H. Meier..... | 1 | 5 | 300.00 | 254 | 10.00 |
| Chester J. Staubit..... | 18 | 46 | 600.00 | 92 | 160.00 |
| Frances C. Mussehl..... | 2 | 31 | None | 773 | 90.00 |
| Francis A. Lawrence..... | 3 | 15 | None | 837 | 50.00 |
| Total | 120 | 804 | \$9,667.00 | 15,258 | \$3,485.00 |

The last five patrolmen listed have been relieved of mounted duty.

Included in the total valuation of property given above are 30 automobiles, 3 bicycles which were recovered by

members of the mounted squad during the year.

In addition to the work outlined above the mounted squad has covered 303 details totaling 5,003 hours. These figures do not include men detailed to Elk Street Market, six hours daily except Sunday from June 1st to November 27th; two men at Chippewa Market on Saturdays the year around from 3:30 to 10:30 P. M., and three men to Third Precinct from 5 P. M. to 12 Midnight daily from June 26th to the present time for night traffic duty.

The actual arrests in the report shown above consists of two for Grand Larceny 1st Degree, two for Robbery 1st Degree, five for Rape 2nd Degree, two for Viol. Sec. 722 Penal Law, one for Viol. Sec. 480 Penal Law, eight for Viol. Sec. 913 C. C. P., thirty four for Viol. Sec. 887-6 C. C. P., seven for Viol. Sec. 1221 Penal Law, nine for Petit Larceny, one for Viol. Chapter 25 Sec. 81 City Ordinance, forty nine for D. C. 9-5.

The cost of upkeep of 27 horses attached to the Mounted Barn follows:

| | |
|--|------------|
| 97 tons of hay..... | \$2,134.00 |
| 30 tons of straw..... | 480.00 |
| 2056 bushels of oats..... | 1,069.12 |
| 21½ tons of bran..... | 90.00 |
| Horse shoeing | 1,899.25 |
| Veterinary bill | 125.00 |
| Harness repairs | 100.00 |
| 350 bales of shavings..... | 40.00 |
| 8 tons of coal..... | 157.50 |
| Miscellaneous | 90.00 |
| Oil meal | 14.00 |
| Cost of upkeep for each horse daily..... | 0.629 |

The mounted squad is composed of 28 patrolmen in charge of a lieutenant.

MOTORCYCLE SQUAD REPORT

| Officer | Arrests Speeding | Vehicle Violations | Total Arrests | Property Recovered | Fines |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| Alfred J. Sendker, Lieut..... | 5 | 19 | 24 | \$ 600.00 | \$ 265.00 |
| August E. Capelli, Post O. .... | ..... | 45 | 45 | ..... | 150.00 |
| William F. Hall..... | 28 | 113 | 141 | ..... | 640.00 |
| John D. Hanrahan..... | 20 | 68 | 88 | ..... | 500.00 |
| William G. Hastings..... | 20 | 103 | 123 | ..... | 475.00 |
| Joseph C. Hoffman..... | 32 | 79 | 111 | ..... | 940.00 |
| Valentine Loskorn..... | 15 | 60 | 75 | ..... | 675.00 |
| George F. Michaels..... | 33 | 100 | 133 | ..... | 715.00 |
| Daniel T. O'Leary..... | 26 | 110 | 136 | ..... | 1,415.00 |
| Fred. A. Walters..... | 25 | 69 | 94 | ..... | 795.00 |
| Anthony F. Wiscamp..... | 24 | 108 | 132 | 400.00 | 1,150.00 |
| Henry M. Demling..... | 72 | 153 | 225 | 800.00 | 2,885.00 |
| Daniel J. Boquard..... | 47 | 130 | 177 | ..... | 1,395.00 |
| Irving S. Canteline..... | 45 | 153 | 198 | ..... | 1,705.00 |
| Nelson Canteline..... | 44 | 71 | 115 | ..... | 1,360.00 |
| Bernard J. Murphy..... | 91 | 110 | 201 | ..... | 2,755.00 |
| Michael C. Noepfel..... | 18 | 127 | 145 | 700.00 | 1,790.00 |
| Raymond J. Matthews..... | 31 | 77 | 108 | ..... | 1,010.00 |
| Joseph V. Sheehan..... | 76 | 100 | 176 | 400.00 | 1,880.00 |
| Theodore Seifert..... | 47 | 65 | 112 | ..... | 545.00 |
| Charles J. Youknot..... | 42 | 139 | 181 | 700.00 | 745.00 |
| James C. Gibbons..... | 64 | 64 | 128 | ..... | 985.00 |
| Total | 805 | 2063 | 2868 | \$3,600.00 | \$24,775.00 |

Arrests for other crimes:

By Patrolman Anthony F. Wiscamp, two for Grand Larceny 2nd Degree.

By Patrolman Michael C. Noepfel, three for Grand Larceny 2nd Degree.

Patrolman Charles M. Wurzer did not ride during the season because of injuries.

DETAILS COVERED DURING THE YEAR

MOUNTED SQUAD

| | Number | Hours |
|--------------------------|--------|-------|
| Airport | 21 | 286 |
| Baseball | 11 | 242 |
| Boxing Exhibitions | 7 | 260 |
| Football Games | 17 | 498 |
| Funerals | 10 | 71 |
| Parades | 40 | 944 |
| Paymasters | 41 | 45 |
| Weddings | 8 | 128 |
| Miscellaneous | 148 | 2529 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Total | 303 | 5003 |

MOTORCYCLE SQUAD

| | | |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|
| Airport | 11 | 117 |
| Baseball | 4 | 37 |
| Boxing Exhibitions | 5 | 49 |
| Escorts | 122 | 2115 |
| Funerals | 16 | 83 |
| Paymasters | 52 | 524 |
| Weddings | 6 | 44 |
| Miscellaneous | 27 | 401 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Total | 243 | 3370 |

SUMMARY OF AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS, YEAR 1927

| | |
|--------------------------------|-------|
| Accidents reported | 2605 |
| Number of persons injured..... | 3,117 |
| Number of persons killed..... | 135 |

AGES AND SEX

| Injured | Male | Killed |
|------------|---------------|--------|
| 112 | 0- 4..... | 10 |
| 443 | 5-14..... | 17 |
| 1191 | 15-54..... | 43 |
| 197 | 55-Over..... | 30 |
| | Female | |
| 67 | 0- 4..... | 3 |
| 254 | 5-14..... | 7 |
| 745 | 15-54..... | 14 |
| 108 | 55-Over..... | 11 |

TYPE OF VEHICLE INVOLVED

| Injured | | Killed |
|------------|----------------------|--------|
| 3023 | Motor vehicle..... | 120 |
| 83 | Street car..... | 12 |
| 11 | Other vehicles | 3 |

ACCIDENTS BY MONTH

| Injured | | Killed |
|-----------|-----------------|--------|
| 170 | January | 7 |
| 170 | February | 10 |
| 241 | March | 11 |
| 264 | April | 10 |
| 287 | May | 14 |
| 254 | June | 16 |
| 254 | July | 8 |
| 247 | August | 9 |
| 335 | September | 10 |
| 333 | October | 16 |
| 319 | November | 16 |
| 243 | December | 8 |

ACCIDENTS BY PRECINCT

| Injured | Precinct | Killed |
|---------|----------|--------|
| 193 | No. 1 | 10 |
| 98 | No. 2 | 7 |
| 189 | No. 3 | 8 |
| 171 | No. 4 | 7 |
| 242 | No. 5 | 14 |
| 321 | No. 6 | 5 |
| 73 | No. 7 | 8 |
| 280 | No. 8 | 7 |
| 61 | No. 9 | 8 |
| 226 | No. 10 | 10 |
| 212 | No. 11 | 8 |
| 265 | No. 12 | 16 |
| 179 | No. 13 | 8 |
| 172 | No. 14 | 8 |
| 162 | No. 15 | 4 |
| 180 | No. 16 | 5 |
| 78 | No. 17 | 0 |
| 15 | Sub. 17 | 2 |
| <hr/> | | <hr/> |
| 3117 | Total | 135 |

WHITE TAG OFFICE

| | |
|--------------------------------------|---------|
| Summons served | 1,461 |
| Persons fined | 1,194 |
| Persons receiving suspended sentence | 217 |
| Persons discharged | 50 |
| Amount of fines imposed | \$6,560 |

Respectfully,
 JOSEPH J. GODFREY,
Captain, Traffic Division.

SAFETY CAMPAIGN

In compliance with your orders to visit the schools of the city for the purpose of conducting a campaign to eliminate accidents to children, also to organize Juvenile Police in each school, I beg to report that I began my duties on October 1, 1927.

I visited the schools as directed and addressed the pupils in the school auditorium. In each case I was given assistance by the school principal. In my talks I told the children of the ever increasing number of traffic accidents happening to children, which could be greatly reduced by observing the safety rules. I pointed out to them the danger of playing in the streets, and while running from one side of the street to the other. I called their attention as to how they should cross street intersections where a police officer is stationed or where an automatic signal is in operation, and how careful they must be at all times to avoid accidents.

After addressing the pupils I requested each principal to select five boys and five girls from the upper grades to form the Juvenile Police for that particular school. Each group then elected its own Captain.

When these groups were formed I gave them specific instructions as to their duty in watching over the safety of the children while they were going to or coming from school.

The members of the Juvenile Police are posted at the important points of traffic near the schools and direct the children when to start to cross the streets. They are being trained so that when any child disobeys them they report the violation to their captain, who makes a daily report to the principal of the school. The principal then calls the offenders to his office and gives them a lecture on the importance of obeying the orders of the Juvenile Police.

Each member of the Juvenile Police is given a small metal badge, which bears the words "Juvenile Police." This badge of course distinguishes them from the other children, and it makes them proud and eager to carry out our instructions.

'We now have 1,500 boys and girls in the Juvenile Police organization, who are doing very good work for the short time they have been formed. As these leaders become older and leave the Grammar schools their places will be taken by the younger generation, resulting in thousands of young men and women being well versed in the safety rules.

Respectfully,

GEORGE W. RICKARD,

Lieutenant.

HOMICIDES

FIRST PRECINCT

About 7:15 P. M. December 25, 1927 Joseph Kemper, 40 years old of 94 Mulberry Street was shot and killed by Gasparro Zangnino, alias Gaspano, alias Gasper Zanchi, 46 years old of 136 Erie Street, while in a soft drink place at 132 Erie Street, conducted by Sante Billengheir. Kemper became involved in an argument with Zangnino who shot him with a double barrel shot gun, which was later found in his room.

Zangnino was arrested about three hours later by Assistant Chief of Detectives John G. Reville, Detective Sergeants William J. Madigan, John Fagan and Frank J. Leigh, and Detectives Edward A. Bingeman and Soldano Frascella and Patrolman Lawrence A. Cronin of the First Precinct on a charge of Murder 1st Degree.

SECOND PRECINCT

About 9:45 A. M. March 3, 1927 two men went into the second hand store at 194 Seneca Street, and asked the proprietor Oscar Leifer to show them some suits. Leifer did so and one of the men picked out a suit which he said was satisfactory and told Leifer to do it up. Leifer started to do up the suit and was grabbed by one of the men; the other struck him on the head with a billy. Leifer fought them and one of the men pulled a .38 calibre revolver from his pocket and fired a shot; the bullet struck his partner in the neck, and he fell to the floor. The other then dropped the gun and ran out of the store. Leifer picked up the revolver and called for help. James Fabozzi of 194½ Seneca Street a shoe merchant responded.

The injured man was removed to the Columbus Hospital where he gave his name as Alfred Campanelli of 288 Virginia Street; he died the next day.

The man who fired the shot has not been apprehended.

About 2 o'clock A. M. June 30, 1927 Henry Gawrosch, 35 years old of 225 North Division Street, was shot by Frank Battaglia, 44 years old of 213 North Division Street.

The two men were playing cards in the home of the latter and became involved in a dispute over the play. Battaglia pulled a revolver and struck Gawrosch over the head with it several times, and then shot him in the head. Gawrosch was taken to the Emergency Hospital and died a short time later.

Battaglia was arrested by Captain John Driscoll, Lieutenant Richard Cronin, and Detectives Murphy and Bingenman, on a charge of Murder 1st Degree. The charge was later reduced to Manslaughter by the District Attorney. Battaglia was tried in County Court before Judge Rowe, was convicted and sentenced to Auburn Prison for from 10 to 20 years.

About 6:30 P. M. December 15, 1927 this station house was notified by telephone that a stabbing had occurred at 192 Seneca Street. On arrival there the officers found that Alice Brockman, alies Allen, colored, 26 years old, had stabbed Brud Allen over the heart with a pocket knife. Allen died before the arrival of the ambulance.

Allen and the Brockman woman had been living as man and wife, for the past three years, and the stabbing was the result of a quarrel between the two. She was placed under arrest by Captain John Driscoll, Detectives Murphy and Goetz, Lieutenant Gardner, and Patrolmen Holloran and O'Meara on a charge of Murder 1st Degree. Case is pending.

About 9 o'clock P. M. December 17, 1927 two negroes entered the poultry store at 37 Pine Street. One of them drew a revolver and covered Cologero Marino, who was in the store. Orazio Ridino the proprietor was sitting behind poultry crates in the rear of the store and as he stood up to see what was going on one of the negroes fired three shots at him, all taking effect; the men then ran from the store. Ridino was removed to the Emergency Hospital where he died a short time later. Wilbert Jackson and John Allen, both colored of 200 Clinton Street were subsequently arrested and identified for this crime. Motive Robbery. Officers Detective Sergeant William J. Madigan and squad and Detective Sergeant Cy. Flynn and squad.

THIRD PRECINCT

About 3 P. M. January 25, 1927 Mrs. Rose Hieber, alias Huber, alias Mrs. Rose Frank, 41 years old, rooming house proprietor, second floor, 28 Broadway, was found dead in her bed by a roomer Jacob Funk. Mrs. Hieber's head had been crushed with some sharp instrument. No motive has been found and no one has been apprehended for this crime.

At 9 o'clock A. M. August 17, 1927 Herbert L. Cole, 29 years old, single, rooming at 184 East Genesee Street, was found dead in bed by Nathan Miller of 62 Butler Avenue, who called to ascertain why Cole had not reported for work. Examination of Cole's body showed a bullet wound in the head. No motive has been found and no one has been apprehended for this crime.

About 11:45 P. M. October 23, 1927 Mrs. Anna Matthews, 50 years old proprietor of a rooming house at 68 Sycamore Street, Jean Graham, 43 years old of 9 Cottage Street and Marie Rabb, 27 years old of Carlton Court, were shot by Louis Helfenstein, a porter, formerly employed by Mrs. Matthews. The three women were in the rooming house 68 Sycamore Street at the time. The Graham woman died a short time later. After shooting the women Helfenstein went into the cellar and committed suicide by shooting himself with a .32 calibre revolver. Mrs. Matthews and Miss Rabb have since recovered from their wounds. Motive believed to be jealousy.

FOURTH PRECINCT

About 10:15 P. M. January 25, 1927 Max Zubin, 48 years old, was held up in his grocery store at 388 Spring Street by a negro who shot him in the head. Zubin was removed to the Emergency Hospital where he died the following morning. George Brodie, colored 25 years old of 43 Mortimer Street was subsequently arrested for this crime, was tried on a charge of Murder 1st Degree and was acquitted.

About 8:15 P. M. May 12, 1927 Howard White, colored, 25 years old of 12 Mortimer Street, was stabbed in the right eye by Sherman Cogwell, colored 27 years old of the same address, during a quarrel. White died at the Emer-

gency Hospital a few hours later. Cogwell was arrested on a charge of Murder 1st Degree, which was afterwards reduced to Assault 2nd Degree. Was sentenced to Auburn Prison for a term of two to five years.

About 1:15 P. M. August 4, 1927 Luther Brodenax, colored, 40 years old, of 301 Spring Street, during an argument with Isaac Orr, 51 years old, colored of the same address, was stabbed twice over the heart with a long knife by Orr and died an hour later in the Emergency Hospital. Orr was arrested on a charge of Murder 1st Degree, which was later reduced to Manslaughter 2nd Degree, and was sentenced to Auburn Prison for a term of three to six years.

About 6:30 P. M. October 12, 1927 Luther Cunningham, 29 years, colored of 103 Walnut Street, was shot by Daniel Culp, colored, 25 years old of 17 Milnor Street. The two men quarreled earlier in the day and when they again met at the southeast corner of William and Sylvan Alley, Culp fired six shots at Cunningham, some of the bullets taking effect. Cunningham died in the Emergency Hospital later in the evening. Culp was arrested at 130 William Street on a charge of Murder 1st Degree, case pending.

FIFTH PRECINCT

About 10:45 P. M. September 28, 1927 Adam Strong, 66 years old, a roomer living with Henry J. Bergo and his wife Otilia Bergo, an old couple, ages 75 years and 63 years respectively at 25 West Ferry Street, got into a fight with Bergo in the latter's home and was struck by Bergo with his fist. In falling he struck his head on the corner of a chair and fractured his skull. Strong was taken to the City Hospital where he died the next day. According to Mrs. Bergo Strong attempted criminal assault upon her and when her husband came home she told him; the fight resulting. Bergo was arrested on a charge of Manslaughter 2nd Degree and was discharged in Court.

About 2 o'clock A. M. November 30, 1927 Herbert C. Peter, Jr. of 297 Highland Avenue was awakened and found a burglar in his home. While making an attempt to capture the burglar Mr. Peter was fatally shot, and died a short time later. No one has been apprehended for this crime.

SEVENTH PRECINCT

About 6:30 o'clock A. M. January 21, 1927 Mrs. Mary McClure, 67 years old of 95 Louisiana Street was strangled and her body thrown into the kitchen, which was then set on fire. Charles Dowd, 29 years old of 125 Swan Street, a son-in-law of Mrs. McClure, was arrested for the crime, charged with Murder 2nd Degree, pleaded Guilty and was sentenced to Auburn Prison for a term of 20 years to life imprisonment.

The motive for the crime was Robbery and the collection of life insurance money; the policy being in the name of his wife Theresa. Dowd under the name of Bernard Granthen was married in Pan Handle Texas, on December 17, 1926 to Theresa McClure.

About 8:55 P. M. April 22, 1927 John Newland, 34 years old of 90 Smith Street shot and killed his brother-in-law Edward Wilson, 18 years old, of the same address, and then shot his wife Alice Newland, 33 years old, in the right leg above the knee, in their home. Newland became enraged when his brother-in-law brought home Jeremiah J. Moynihan, a chum, with whom he had been drinking, and put him to bed; he being discovered there by Newland. Motive believed to be jealousy. Newland escaped and has not been apprehended for this crime.

About 8:50 P. M. October 10, 1927 Ernest J. Rambow, 36 years old, 31 Juneau Avenue, Milwaukee, Wis., an oiler and Edward A. Bray, 26 years old, of 1419 South Ewing Street, St. Louis, Mo., a fireman, both members of the crew of the Steamer Thomas Maytham of The General Transit Company line, quarreled over fifty cents worth of tobacco, in the galley of the boat. Bray became enraged and seized a large butcher knife and stabbed Rambow in the left side of the chest near the throat, he died before arrival of the ambulance, Bray disappeared. The police were not notified until fifty minutes later and up to this time Bray has not been apprehended. He has been indicted for Manslaughter 1st Degree.

About 12:06 A. M. November 24, 1927 while attending a party at 440 Ohio Street William Mazuckiwicz, 40 years old of 229 Ashley Street quarreled with John Majewski, 33 years old of 394 Ideal Street, because of attentions to Mazuckiwicz's niece with whom Majewski was dancing. Both

men left the house going outside and renewed the quarrel, Mazuckiwicz was stabbed in the left thigh severing an artery, and died before the ambulance arrived. Majewski was later arrested at his home by Capt. Milan, Detective Sergeant Laszewski, Detective Edwin J. McGuire and Patrolmen Shanahan and Labby, on a charge of Murder 1st Degree, case is pending.

EIGHTH PRECINCT

While attending a party at the home of Kate Kulenecz, 215 Lombard Street, about 3 o'clock A. M. January 23, 1927 Frank Stefaniak, 32 years old of 103 Loepere Street, was shot in the left hip with a shot gun. Joseph Chojnacki, 23 years old of 48 Beck Street brought the shotgun to the party, intending to loan it to a friend for hunting. Stefaniak and Chojnacki got into a drunken scuffle for the gun and it was discharged, the shot striking Stefaniak in the left hip. Chojnacki was arrested on a charge of Manslaughter 1st Degree on April 7, 1927, was arraigned in Supreme Court before Judge Hinckley and was discharged.

Officers—Lieut. Edward Brenner, Detective Conrad H. Hoffman, Patrolmen James T. Reville, and Bernard V. Moran.

About 4 o'clock P. M. May 19, 1927 Julius Raymond, 12 years old of 261 Emslie Street, with several other boys went into the yard of the American Agricultural and Chemical Co., 129 Lewis Street, and were playing on a pile of scrap leather when seen by the Watchman Charles Michaels, 64 years old of 688 Genesee Street. Michaels fired a shot from his .38 calibre revolver into the bottom of the leather pile to frighten the boys, and fired another shot just as Raymond was coming up from the left side of the pile. The bullet struck the boy in the small of the back, took an upward course and lodged under the skin of the left breast, he died instantly.

Michaels was arrested on a charge of Manslaughter 2nd Degree by Patrolman Joseph V. O'Mara of the 9th Precinct. He was discharged in City Court.

About 2 A. M. June 4, 1927 Joseph Loffredo, 274 Prospect Avenue and three other young men took Frances Zienecka, 17 years old and her sister Clara, 20 years old,

to their home 56 Beck Street, in Loffredo's car. After leaving the girls the men started for home and when at Fillmore and Broadway picked up Frank Valvo, 19 years old of 459 Niagara Street. Loffredo states that he became worried about the Zienecka girls, being engaged to Francis, and he drove out to Beck Street, and was just about to turn into the street when he saw several young men peeping from behind a house. Loffredo started to drive west into Stanislaus Street and the men followed firing at the car. A bullet struck Frank Valvo in the forehead and he toppled out of the car; the men ran away. Valvo was brought to the Emergency Hospital by Loffredo and his companions where he died.

On October 10, 1927 Joseph Plucinski, 19 years old of 41 Mills Street was arrested on a charge of Murder 1st Degree, by Captain O'Brien, Detectives Hoffman and Wypijewski, and held for the Grand Jury, case pending.

About 10:45 P. M. August 6, 1927 Joseph Lipczynski, 25 years old of 55 Pink Street, went to the home of Rose Nazarek, 22 Oneida Street, in an intoxicated condition. While there he made vile remarks to the Nazarek woman, which were resented by another man present. A fight resulted during which Lipczynski was stabbed in the left arm. He was taken to the Memorial Hospital where he died a few hours later, his assailant disappeared.

On December 19, 1927 Joseph Salewski was arrested at Rochester, N. Y., by Detective Sergeants James E. Quigley and Walter Holz and returned to Buffalo, and accused of the crime. It is alleged that Salewski, whose home is in Erie, Pa., was at the Nazarek home that night, and disappeared immediately after the stabbing took place. Case is pending.

About 11 o'clock P. M. August 15, 1927 Stanley Baginski, 21 years old of 13 Dover Street was shot in the back of the head and twice in the body. He was taken to the Emergency Hospital and died a few hours later.

Baginski and two other young men all intoxicated accosted Celia Lowiska, 17 years old and her sister Hattie, 19 years old in front of their home, No. 1 Geneva Street, and upbraided them. Bernard Lembisz, 26 years old, of 829 Fillmore Avenue, a cousin of the girls, was sitting in his automobile a few doors away and went to the girls'

assistance. Baginski threw stones at Lembisz who went to a shed at No. 3 Geneva Street where he kept a hunting rifle. He took the gun and while coming out of the yard Baginski again threw stones at him. Lembisz then fired at Baginski striking him in the head and body.

Lembisz was arrested by Captain O'Brien, Detectives Richter, Syhakiewicz, Wypijewski and Hoffman, on a charge of Murder. The Grand Jury returned a no bill and he was discharged.

About 1 o'clock A. M. September 5, 1927 Peter Wojnowski, age 34 of 38 Concord Street, went to the home of Frank Brink, age 32 of 8 Concord Street, and threatened him with bodily harm. After quarreling for some time Wojnowski left the house. He returned about 8 P. M. the next evening and again started to quarrel with Brink who was sitting on the front porch threatening to kill him. Brink went into the house, Wojnowski followed, calling him vile names. Brink went into a bedroom and picked up a shotgun; Wojnowski had picked up a butcher knife from the kitchen table and went for Brink. Brink put the gun in front of Wojnowski's stomach and started to back him out of the house; the gun was discharged the charge entering Wojnowski's stomach. He died in the Emergency Hospital a few hours later.

Brink was arrested in his home by Lieutenant Courtney, Detective Sergeant Wienand and Detective Hoffman. The Grand Jury returned a no bill and he was discharged.

NINTH PRECINCT

At 11:45 P. M. December 4, 1927 Walter Gospodarski, age 23 of 1779 Clinton Street, quarreled with Matthew Machynski, age 36 of 25 Cable Street in front of Buddys Restaurant, Clinton and Weimar Streets. Gospodarski struck Machynski with his fist knocking him over an ice cream sign. Machynski was carried to his home by companions, and later taken to the Emergency Hospital but was dead when he arrived there. Death being caused by a hemorrhage of both lungs.

Gospodarski was arrested on a charge of Manslaughter 2nd Degree by Lieutenant Condren, Detective Sergeants Kern, O'Neill and Patrolman Albert Weiser of the Detective Bureau, and Detective James J. Ryan of No. 9. Case pending.

TENTH PRECINCT

About 6:25 P. M. Sunday, February 27, 1927 Jack Pisano, age 38 of 7 East North Street, was shot through the back, at the corner of Trenton Avenue and Virginia Street by an unknown assailant, who ran north in Trenton Avenue after the shooting. A bullet entered Pisano's heart and he died before making any statement. No one has been apprehended for this crime.

On May 30, 1927 sometime between the hours of midnight and 8:30 A. M. Mrs. Jennie Randolph, age 55 of 175 Plymouth Avenue, was murdered by strangulation in her home at the above address.

It is believed the crime was committed by a man who rented a room there the day previous, and gave his name as Charles Harrison.

Harrison alias Nelson 35 years old has since been arrested in Winnipeg, Manitoba for another murder of the same kind. He was positively identified from a picture sent here by the Winnipeg police as Harrison. He was convicted of Murder in Winnipeg and sentenced to be hanged; the sentence has been carried out.

About 8:30 P. M. December 22, 1927 Philip Mazzara, 38 years old of 203 Porter Avenue, while driving his car on Maryland near Cottage Street was shot and killed by the occupants of a Cadillac sedan. It is believed that a shotgun was used as Mazzara's head was crushed and he died instantly. The license number of the car was not obtained. No one has been apprehended for this crime.

ELEVENTH PRECINCT

About 8:55 P. M. May 8, 1927 Sophia Strzegowski, age 17, single, residing with her parents at 123 Young Avenue, was arrested by Detectives Cornell, Duchene and Wilkie on a charge of Murder 1st Degree, upon the complaint of Dr. Earl G. Danser, Medical Examiner.

The girl gave birth to an illegitimate child and dropped it into the toilet of her home, causing the infant's death. The Grand Jury failed to indict her and she was discharged.

TWELFTH PRECINCT

At 2:30 P. M. May 23, 1927 Joseph Majerowicz, 24 years old of 268 Walden Avenue, who was separated from his wife Clara Majerowicz, living with her Mother at 220 Coit Street, went to the latter address, and while there quarreled with his wife over the possession of their four year old child. Majerowicz took a butcher knife from the table and stabbed his wife in the stomach. She was removed to the Emergency Hospital where she died the following morning.

Majerowicz made his escape at the time but the next day was arrested at 97 Weimar Street by Lieut. Philip C. Pohlman and Detective Fred. F. Boye, on a charge of Murder 1st Degree. The charge was later reduced to Manslaughter 1st Degree, he was tried in Supreme Court, convicted and sentenced to Auburn Prison for 25 years.

THIRTEENTH PRECINCT

At 6:30 P. M. November 24, 1927 William Carter, 25 years old, colored and William Keiver Montague, 22 years old, both of 47 Rano Street, quarreled over a game of dice which took place that afternoon. At the time the men were on the sidewalk in front of 49 Rano Street. Montague stabbed Carter which resulted fatally in the City Hospital two hours later.

Montague was arrested on a charge of Murder 1st Degree, and was discharged in City Court on the grounds that he acted in self defense.

SURGEON'S REPORT

I herewith submit the report of the Surgeon of Police for the year ending December 31, 1927:

During the year eight members of the department, on active duty have died, all from natural causes.

Lieutenant Joseph D. Lynch, April 11, 1927.

Patrolman Aloys J. Winter, April 20, 1927.

Patrolman Grant B. Shook, May 14, 1927.

Lieutenant John J. Ryan, July 25, 1927.

Patrolman Edward F. O'Grady, July 31, 1927.

Patrolman Thomas Hayes, September 2, 1927.

Detective William E. Wilkie, October 21, 1927.

Patrolman Albert H. Kink, December 21, 1927.

Retirement from active service took place in seventeen instances. Of this number, thirteen were retired at their own request on pensions granted for length of service, and four from disability due to illness or injury.

In the entire city among members and employees of the Department of Police, from all disabling causes a total of 16,367 days were lost. Of this 13,013 days were from illness; 2,370 days as a result of injuries received while on duty; 984 days from injuries received off duty. A total of 4,277 visits were made by the Surgeon and the Assistant Surgeon in caring for them. The total force consists of 1,165 members and 124 employees. Averaged 12.7 days per man were lost during the year.

An inspection of all station houses located in the northern section of the city has recently been made by the Surgeon. All were found in a sanitary condition.

All other duties required of the Surgeon have been performed according to the rules of the Department.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN A. BOWERMAN,
Surgeon of Police.

REPORT OF THE ASSISTANT POLICE SURGEON

Complying with the Rules and Regulations governing the department, I submit the report of the Assistant Surgeon of the Department of Police, from January 1, to December 31, 1927.

The total number of days lost by members of the department as the result of illness and injury was 7,203. Of this total 5,557 days were lost as the result of illness; 1,197 days as the result of injuries received on duty; and 449 days from injuries received while not on duty. The total number of visits made was 1,947.

Respectfully submitted,

VICTOR A. TYRASINSKI,
Assistant Police Surgeon.

MOTOR VEHICLES USED BY THE BUFFALO POLICE DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR 1927

| | Mayor | Chief | Deputy Chiefs | Inspectors | Supt. M. P. & Supplies | Chief of Traffic | Sec. to Mayor | Foreman | Sealer, W. & M. | Detective Bureau | Special Inv. to Mayor | Dry Squad | Mayor's Investigators | Property Clerk | Electrical Bureau | Traffic Trucks | Gas Wagon Tanks | No. 1 Station | No. 2 Station | No. 3 Station | No. 4 Station | No. 5 Station | No. 6 Station | No. 7 Station | No. 8 Station | No. 9 Station | No. 10 Station | No. 11 Station | No. 12 Station | No. 13 Station | No. 14 Station | No. 15 Station | No. 16 Station | No. 17 Station | Sub. 17 Station | Garage | Auto. Bureau | Totals | |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|---------------|------------|------------------------|------------------|---------------|---------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------------|-----------|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|--------|--------------|--------|---|
| Buick Sedan..... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| Buick Coach..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| Buick Coupe..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| Buick Touring..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| Chevrolet Touring..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| Dodge Trucks..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | |
| Essex Coach..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Flint Coupe..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Flint Touring..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Ford Sedans..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Ford Coupes..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Ford Trucks..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Ford Touring..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Ford Trucks..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Gardner Sedan..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| G. M. C. Patrols..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Lincoln Touring..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Mason Rd. King Patrol..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Mason Rd. King Trucks..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Pierce-Arrow Limousine..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Stewart Patrols..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Stewart Trucks..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Studebaker Touring..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Chevrolet Coupe..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Chevrolet Sedan..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Lincoln Tow Car..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Totals..... | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 677 | |

SUPERINTENDENT OF MOTOR POWER AND SUPPLIES

MOTORCYCLES

There are 38 motorcycles in use in the Police Department, two being assigned to Delaware Park and 36 assigned to the motorcycle squad; 18 of the motorcycles are used on the east side and 18 on the west side of the city.

BICYCLES

The department has 18 bicycles, one being assigned to each of the seventeen precincts, with the exception of the 10th Precinct to which 2 bicycles are assigned.

GARAGE

Until April 25, 1927 the Police Department maintained a repair garage at No. 30 Henry Street. The work of overhauling automobiles, motorcycles and bicycles used by the Police and Health Departments being done there. Street and school signs and traffic standards were made and painted there and any needed repairs to same were made at this place.

On the above date all the machinery and equipment was removed from the Henry Street garage and installed in the building at 757 East Ferry Street, purchased by the city for the purpose. A new cost system was installed and in the next annual report an accurate account of the cost of operation and mileage of each automobile used by the department will be given.

A foreman is in charge of the garage and has eight assistant mechanics, nine mechanic helpers and six laborers in his charge.

SUPPLIES

On May 1, 1927 the old storeroom and supply base in the basement of Police Headquarters building was abandoned and all stationery and supplies on hand was transferred to the new store room, second floor, 757 East Ferry Street. This storeroom has great advantages over the old

one, being much larger, has a floor space of 30 to 100 feet and is equipped with steel shelves, bins and drawers, to keep the supplies clean and intact. Owing to the facilities for storage a considerable saving has been made by buying supplies, such as soap, cleansers and other material in larger quantities, at a better price.

HORSES

There are 27 horses used by the department, all being kept at the Headquarters mounted barn. The horses are used entirely for mounted patrol and traffic duty in the down-town precincts.

PATROL BOAT REPORT

The gasoline patrol boat "Edward M. Daly" went into commission on April 20, 1927 and continued to patrol the waterfront until January 1, 1928.

| | |
|--|--------|
| Average number of miles traveled each day..... | 59 |
| Miles traveled in April..... | 620 |
| Miles traveled in May..... | 1,820 |
| Miles traveled in June..... | 1,880 |
| Miles traveled in July..... | 1,860 |
| Miles traveled in August..... | 1,870 |
| Miles traveled in September..... | 1,880 |
| Miles traveled in October..... | 1,870 |
| Miles traveled in November..... | 1,850 |
| Miles traveled in December..... | 1,810 |
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| Total miles traveled in 260 days..... | 15,460 |
| Amount of gasoline consumed.....Gals. | 4,232 |
| Amount of gasoline consumed each day.....Gals. | 16.5 |
| Amount of engine oil used.....Gals. | 90 |
| Amount of engine oil used each day.....Gals. | .343 |
| Amount of waste used.....Lbs. | 30 |
| Amount of waste used each day.....Lbs. | .11 |
| Amount of kerosene used for heating purposes.....Gals. | 90 |
| Amount of grease used.....Lbs. | 15 |
| Number of persons arrested during season..... | 92 |
| Number of persons drowned..... | 9 |
| Number of bodies recovered "Drowned"..... | 9 |

| | |
|--|---------|
| Number of persons saved from drowning..... | 4 |
| Fires attended along the water front..... | 3 |
| Fires extinguished by patrol boat..... | 2 |
| Value of property recovered "Stolen"..... | \$2,300 |
| Value of property recovered "Lost"..... | \$1,250 |

During the summer season the following number of passengers and automobiles arrived at, and departed from Buffalo, in the territory covered by the patrol boat crew, without accident or injury to passengers or property.

| | Passengers | Automobiles |
|--------------------------------------|------------|-------------|
| Cleveland and Buffalo..... | 109,624 | 12,780 |
| Detroit and Buffalo..... | 142,370 | 19,300 |
| Great Lakes Transit Corporation..... | 19,232 | ..... |
| Buffalo and Crystal Beach | 408,136 | ..... |
| Erie Beach and Buffalo..... | 468,430 | ..... |
| Totals | 1,147,792 | 32,080 |

STEPHEN B. SOUTHALL,

Patrolman in Command.

POLICE SIGNAL SYSTEM

In accordance with the Rules and Regulations governing the Department, I herewith submit the report of the Police Signal System, Department of Police, for the year ending December 31, 1927.

During the year 16 new concrete safety platforms, with standard at approach of traffic, equipped with red bull's eye at bottom, and white light and globe with sign reading "Safety Zone" were installed along Main Street. Two of these platforms were also installed at Broadway and Fillmore.

Four concrete safety platforms and traffic signals were installed along Delaware Avenue from Mohawk to Allen Street inclusive with a total of six signals connected together and known as the Chronoplan system, adopted because of its complete flexibility in handling traffic on busy streets. This system facilitates traffic movement on streets crossing Delaware Avenue because it allows all the time necessary, and also gives to the main traffic a uniform and maximum safe speed limit, and traffic is moved in the congested business section in half the time required by any synchronized, progressive or stagger systems.

Delaware Avenue at the present time has a maximum rate of speed of 20 miles per hour. In the near future this system of traffic movement will be further extended.

Ninety new overhead of the red and green two section type, center suspended traffic signals were installed.

One American bobby signal, center of street, was discontinued none of this type are now in service.

Two Klug & Smith concrete base center pedestal were replaced with overhead, suspended type. (None of the former now remain in service).

Four Essco Mfg. Co. bracket type signals were removed and replaced with the new overhead type.

One Crouse-Hinds bracket type and one concrete center pedestal type were removed and replaced with the new overhead type. One three-way Crouse-Hinds mounted on Main

Street tower and four single bracket type still remain in service.

Of the Macknell signal there are at present 13 bracket type, two signals to intersection. One Macknell signal of the concrete center pedestal type was replaced with a new overhead type.

During the past year considerable time was required on account of repaving and widening of streets, which caused the moving of underground cables, test post and overhead lines.

Nineteen overhead traffic signals, center suspended type, eight Gamewell police patrol booths, nine flashlight patrol boxes and twelve new concrete street loading platforms with light on top were damaged by automobiles, trucks, etc., during the year, requiring repairs and replacements.

Eighteen new telephones and extensions and three patrol boxes were installed. Eight pawnshop signal boxes were moved and relocated. Seventy-eight flashlight signal boxes were rewired and reinstalled.

A new station house for Precinct No. 17 located at Colvin and Linden Avenue was cut into service on June 4, 1927.

The underground cables are in fair shape with the exception of a few leading from Police Headquarters, one of which is now being replaced and is under construction. The completion of this work will take care of the increased demands on lines on the east side of the city. Some of the other cables are still badly congested but will be taken care of in the near future.

The installation of the Flash Light Signal System, now under construction in the 2nd, 4th, 5th and 6th Precincts is progressing and will be completed early in 1928. The Council has awarded a contract for the installation of a new flash light signal system in the 12th, 14th, 16th and 17th Precincts. After its completion thirteen of the seventeen police precincts will be equipped with the flash light signal system. The remaining four precincts using the old Gamewell Patrol System should be equipped with the new flash light system as early as possible; the old equip-

ment being worn out and requires constant attention to keep it in service.

The Electrical Bureau is called upon to maintain the following equipment:

The old patrol system now operating in twelve precincts.

The Flash Light Signal System operating in five precincts.

The Morse Telegraph and Fire Alarm Systems connecting the seventeen station houses with Police Headquarters.

An inter-communicating telephone system with switchboard and seventy working lines for departmental business only; has connections with offices of the department heads, station houses, patrol barns and City Court.

Telephone switchboard at the Municipal Garage, 757 East Ferry St.

Two auto trucks used by the bureau are in poor shape; being practically beyond repair and should be replaced at once. A new panel body truck is needed to meet the increasing demands for service.

REPORT OF THE PISTOL RANGE INSTRUCTORS

We beg to submit the following report showing the work done at the Police Pistol Range at the Broadway Auditorium during the year:

| | Distance—Feet Slow Fire Single Action | Distance—Feet Rapid Fire Double Action | Number Shooting | Marksman | Sharpshooters | Experts |
|----------------|---|--|--------------------|----------|---------------|---------|
| January..... | | 15 ft. 6 sec. | 1092 | 190 | 413 | 216 |
| February..... | | Shooting in dark | 1096 | 320 | ..... | ..... |
| March..... | | Shooting in dark | 1103 | 439 | ..... | ..... |
| April..... | | Shooting in dark | 1101 | 467 | ..... | ..... |
| May..... | Moving Target 45 ft. | | 1099 | 204 | 158 | 62 |
| June..... | | Moving Target | 1107 | 207 | 131 | 77 |
| July..... | 60 ft. | | 1104 | 369 | 117 | 61 |
| August..... | Range Closed | | | | | |
| September..... | Range Closed | | | | | |
| October..... | | 15 ft. Silhouette Target | 1110 | 166 | 304 | 523 |
| November..... | | 45 ft. Silhouette Target | 1093 | 324 | 245 | 82 |
| December..... | 12 ft. Langrish Target | | 1115 | 176 | 628 | 146 |

OFFICERS SHOT BY CROOKS

On Jan. 20, 1927, Patrolman Peter A. Dominiak of No. 2 stopped two suspicious looking colored men at Swan and Hickory Streets about 6 A. M., and began to search them. One of the men drew a revolver and shot the officer in the arm and hand.

On Feb. 5, 1927 Detective George Tourjie was shot in the left arm by a negro named Spence said to live in Lack-

awanna. Tourjie met the man in front of 88 Pratt Street and was about to question him when he drew a revolver and shot the officer.

On March 3, 1927, Lieut. Frank Dempsey of No. 15 Station was shot in the leg by an unknown man whom he caught trying to break into store at 56 Triangle Street.

On May 28, 1927, Patrolman Louis Barnekow of No. 4 Station was shot in the hand by William Brown, a negro, whom he attempted to arrest.

On June 6, 1927, Patrolman Clarence Schreiber of No. 12 Station was shot in the arm by two men whom he found hiding in the bushes in Humboldt Park.

PERSONS SHOT BY OFFICERS

On Feb. 6, 1927, Peter Oberbusher was shot in the abdomen and right leg by Patrolman George W. Graham in the Chicago Lunch Room, Mian at Allen Street. Oberbusher threatened to shoot the officer and was shot when attempting to escape.

On Feb. 11, 1927, Bart Powers in stolen automobile was shot in the left shoulder by Patrolman George Tidd of No. 10 Station in attempting to escape.

On Feb. 11, 1927, Orlando Jones was shot in lower part of back by Patrolman Cornelius Morarity in attempting to evade arrest.

On February 14, 1927, James Robinson, a negro, was shot in the leg by Patrolman Peter T. Gorman of No. 4 Station who attempted to place him under arrest.

On March 4, 1927, Joseph Good was shot by Patrolmen Valentine Loskorn and Oscar Klein while attempting to escape after arrest.

On May 12, 1927, Dominic Napoli was shot and killed and Daniel Sansanesi was wounded by Patrolman Howard Weber, who caught them in the act of holding up and robbing clerk in Dambach drug store, 942 Main Street.

On May 20, 1927, Theodore Guzowski was shot and killed by Detective Arthur Werner when he attempted to escape from a stolen automobile.

On October 14, 1927, Stephen Sporney was shot by Patrolman William Mattingly of No. 8 Station in trying to escape arrest.

On Nov. 19, 1927, Frank Dittinger was shot by Patrolmen Thomas Bonner and Arthur Zimmerman of No. 8 Station. He tried to escape from the officers, after being caught breaking into store at 133 Howard Street.

On Dec. 21, 1927, Charles Worthman, a negro, was shot by Patrolman John Germain, who caught him trying to burglarize store at 244 Sycamore Street.

During the month of February the officers attached to the Third Precinct shot for a prize donated by Mr. Hugh H. Held, Proprietor of the Buffalo Billiard Academy. Fifty-six of the members competed. The prize, a 38 cal. Colts revolver and holster, was won by Patrolman Robert Stahr, who had a score of 184 out of a possible 200.

In the month of April the desk lieutenants of the department shot for a prize offered by Mr. Barry McOwen; 76 desk lieutenants competing. The prize, a 38 cal. Smith & Wesson revolver, was won by Desk Lieutenant Wilbur J. Turner. Various prizes were distributed to the desk lieutenants according to their scores in the shoot.

On September 9th and 10th a pistol team representing the department and composed of Lieutenant Glenn H. McClellan, Desk Lieut. Daniel Cain, Detective Sergeant Simon Callanan, Patrolmen Robert Stahr and Guy Dewey took part in the National Pistol Matches at Camp Perry, Ohio, and finished in fifth place.

On October 1st a team composed of Lieut. Glenn H. McClellan, Desk Lieut. Daniel Cain, Detective Sergeant Simon Callanan, Patrolmen Robert Stahr and Renny Nichols shot a match with the team representing the Erie County Fish & Game Protective Association of Erie, Pa., at their field day which took place at Erie. Our team was defeated by 29 points, score being Erie 1162, Buffalo 1133, out of a possible 1200.

On November 26th the same teams shot a return match at our range resulting in the defeat of the Erie team by 58 points, scores Buffalo Police 1167, Erie 1109, out of a possible 1200.

Messrs. Sundberg, Bradstreet, Seiler, Wade and Sieger composing the Erie team, are rated as among the best pistol shots in the country. Mr. Bradstreet being holder of the Individual National Championship of the N. R. A., and Mr. Sundberg having the same honor for three former years.

A sighting machine was installed during the early part of the year for the purpose of training the men to aim and sight their revolvers. By practicing on the machine those failing to qualify were able to improve their shooting after a time and make very good scores. Of the 360 men tested 324 passed and 34 failed.

In view of the great improvement shown by most of the members of the department in their monthly scores over that of last year, we are glad to state that the record shows that nearly every officer in the department has become an accurate pistol shot.

Respectfully submitted,

PATROLMAN CHARLES F. MEYERS,

PATROLMAN JOSEPH M. BRECKER,

Instructors.

REPORT OF POLICEWOMEN

| | Arrests | | | | Out-of-Town Runaways Located and Held | Local Runaways Located | Letters and Investigations | Miscellaneous Duties |
|--------------------------|----------|--------------|--------------------------|-------------------|---|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|
| | Felonies | Misdemeanors | Ungovernable Children | Wayward Minors | | | | |
| Jeanne Gray | 21 | 21 | 13 | 21 | 34 | 151 | 73 | 130 |
| Lilliah Morrison | 12 | 21 | 2 | 10 | 2 | 31 | 70 | 300 |
| Francis S. Conners | 24 | 62 | 8 | 25 | 20 | 83 | 98 | 330 |
| Mildred Colebrook | 18 | 43 | 6 | 14 | 5 | 67 | 75 | 320 |
| Lillian Hartnett | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 6 |
| Total | 75 | 147 | 29 | 71 | 62 | 334 | 319 | 1086 |

Miscellaneous duties included visits to dance halls, cabarets, parks and other places of amusement. The police-women also keep in touch with the various rooming houses throughout the city.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK J. HAUSER, JR.,

Lieutenant in Charge.

STOLEN PROPERTY

AUTOMOBILES

1927

| Month | Valuation Stolen | Valuation Recovered | Number Stolen | Number Recovered |
|-----------|---------------------|------------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| January | \$ 65,600.00 | \$ 69,900.00 | 192 | 201 |
| February | 80,500.00 | 79,000.00 | 231 | 231 |
| March | 94,700.00 | 95,500.00 | 266 | 268 |
| April | 81,100.00 | 84,100.00 | 242 | 247 |
| May | 74,800.00 | 71,500.00 | 216 | 211 |
| June | 52,300.00 | 52,200.00 | 159 | 153 |
| July | 42,000.00 | 44,200.00 | 116 | 121 |
| August | 51,400.00 | 50,700.00 | 152 | 148 |
| September | 49,300.00 | 46,800.00 | 155 | 146 |
| October | 69,400.00 | 63,800.00 | 215 | 198 |
| November | 89,100.00 | 77,100.00 | 261 | 229 |
| December | 83,500.00 | 79,700.00 | 239 | 226 |
| Total | \$833,700.00 | \$814,500.00 | 2444 | 2379 |

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Number of automobiles reported stolen in the city..... | 2444 |
| Number of automobiles recovered by automobile squad..... | 943 |
| Number of automobiles recovered by precincts..... | 1436 |
| Number recovered for abroad by automobile squad..... | 82 |
| Number recovered for abroad by other officers..... | 52 |
| Total number of automobiles recovered..... | 2513 |
| Number and percentage of automobiles stolen during 1927 recovered | 2316—94.76% |
| Number of automobiles stolen prior to January 1st, 1927, recovered | 63 |
| Number of automobile thieves arrested by automobile squad | 271 |
| Number of automobile thieves arrested by other officers..... | 153 |
| Total number of automobile thieves arrested..... | 424 |
| Number of persons under 18 years arrested for auto theft | 137 |
| Number of automobiles recovered, outstanding less than 24 hours | 1699 |

REPORT OF THE AUTOMOBILE SQUAD

1927

| Month | Local Cars Recovered | Valuation Recovered | Cars Recovered for Abroad | Number of Arrests |
|-----------|-------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| January | 110 | \$ 38,100.00 | 1 | 22 |
| February | 105 | 37,000.00 | 6 | 32 |
| March | 102 | 36,700.00 | 9 | 34 |
| April | 88 | 31,600.00 | 5 | 34 |
| May | 77 | 24,900.00 | 7 | 50 |
| June | 67 | 22,700.00 | 11 | 68 |
| July | 43 | 16,600.00 | 6 | 21 |
| August | 54 | 21,100.00 | 6 | 37 |
| September | 53 | 17,500.00 | 2 | 19 |
| October | 76 | 25,700.00 | 5 | 31 |
| November | 84 | 31,100.00 | 12 | 45 |
| December | 84 | 29,400.00 | 12 | 46 |
| Total | 943 | \$332,400.00 | 82 | 439 |

Number of arrests for automobile thefts..... 271

Number of arrests for other crimes..... 168

STOLEN PROPERTY

MISCELLANEOUS

| | Value of Property Reported Lost | Value of Property Found | Value of Property Recovered on Complaint from Abroad | No. of Complaints | Value of Property Reported Stolen | No. Complaints in which Property was Recovered | Value of Property Recovered |
|---------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Hd. | | | \$18,655.00 | 139 | \$ 13,091.35 | 212 | \$17,476.21 |
| No. 1 | 428.60 | | 103.25 | 166 | 11,734.70 | 58 | 3,216.82 |
| No. 2 | 246.30 | 68.30 | | 72 | 4,003.18 | 68 | 3,612.25 |
| No. 3 | | | | 332 | 22,866.88 | 71 | 5,931.00 |
| No. 4 | 58.00 | | 25.00 | 120 | 6,622.07 | 29 | 1,279.39 |
| No. 5 | | | | 47 | 5,659.40 | 23 | 2,062.60 |
| No. 6 | | | | 179 | 13,952.29 | 36 | 5,321.56 |
| No. 7 | 145.00 | 145.00 | | 47 | 2,439.10 | 25 | 1,313.46 |
| No. 8 | 1,031.00 | 119.00 | 680.00 | 153 | 14,189.00 | 50 | 1,662.05 |
| No. 9 | 199.68 | 82.68 | | 83 | 3,714.26 | 27 | 1,634.00 |
| No. 10 | 3,605.00 | 17.00 | | 109 | 9,594.40 | 41 | 2,126.00 |
| No. 11 | 75.00 | | | 57 | 6,784.29 | 14 | 1,379.16 |
| No. 12 | 343.00 | 170.00 | 20.00 | 187 | 12,985.72 | 32 | 927.15 |
| No. 13 | 827.65 | 229.00 | 120.00 | 97 | 9,295.00 | 48 | 2,892.50 |
| No. 14 | 1,080.00 | 605.00 | 5.00 | 99 | 5,274.97 | 43 | 1,559.70 |
| No. 15 | 165.65 | 50.00 | | 41 | 1,561.12 | 7 | 777.10 |
| No. 16 | 285.00 | 290.00 | 154.00 | 67 | 4,290.10 | 31 | 1,524.68 |
| No. 17 | 143.00 | 33.00 | | 59 | 3,230.50 | 27 | 1,860.00 |
| Sub. 17 | 48.00 | | | 6 | 75.50 | 11 | 1.50 |
| Totals..... | \$8,680.88 | \$1,808.98 | \$19,762.25 | 2060 | \$151,363.83 | 843 | \$56,557.18 |

TOTALS BY QUARTERS

| | | | | | | | |
|--------------|------------|------------|-------------|------|--------------|-----|-------------|
| First | \$3,607.08 | \$ 168.98 | \$15,603.25 | 521 | \$ 43,561.52 | 214 | \$14,450.49 |
| Second | 2,006.15 | 535.50 | 1,560.00 | 525 | 33,835.14 | 218 | 15,228.28 |
| Third | 2,026.65 | 557.50 | 305.00 | 445 | 25,466.51 | 158 | 9,977.05 |
| Fourth | 1,041.00 | 547.00 | 2,294.00 | 569 | 48,500.66 | 253 | 16,901.36 |
| Totals..... | \$8,680.88 | \$1,808.98 | \$19,762.25 | 2060 | \$151,363.83 | 843 | \$56,557.18 |

STOLEN PROPERTY

BICYCLES, MOTORCYCLES AND HORSE DRAWN VEHICLES

| Precinct | Number of Complaints | Value of Property Reported Stolen | No. of Complaints in which Property was Recovered | Value of Property Recovered |
|--------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| No. 1..... | 41 | \$ 410.00 | 4 | \$ 40.00 |
| No. 2..... | 14 | 835.00 | 14 | 835.00 |
| No. 3..... | 24 | 240.00 | 1 | 10.00 |
| No. 4..... | 17 | 170.00 | 5 | 50.00 |
| No. 5..... | 2 | 20.00 | 1 | 10.00 |
| No. 6..... | 46 | 460.00 | 6 | 60.00 |
| No. 7..... | | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| No. 8..... | 28 | 280.00 | 3 | 30.00 |
| No. 9..... | 4 | 40.00 | 2 | 20.00 |
| No. 10..... | 21 | 210.00 | 10 | 100.00 |
| No. 11..... | 6 | 60.00 | 1 | 10.00 |
| No. 12..... | 15 | 150.00 | 3 | 30.00 |
| No. 13..... | 11 | 110.00 | 2 | 20.00 |
| No. 14..... | 35 | 350.00 | 7 | 70.00 |
| No. 15..... | 10 | 100.00 | 2 | 20.00 |
| No. 16..... | 5 | 50.00 | 5 | 50.00 |
| No. 17..... | 21 | 210.00 | 11 | 110.00 |
| Sub. 17..... | 12 | 120.00 | 1 | 10.00 |
| Totals..... | 312 | \$3,815.00 | 78 | \$1,475.00 |

TOTALS BY QUARTERS

| | | | | |
|--------------|-----|------------|----|------------|
| First | 28 | \$ 335.00 | 5 | \$ 115.00 |
| Second | 126 | 1,650.00 | 26 | 650.00 |
| Third | 100 | 1,000.00 | 25 | 250.00 |
| Fourth | 58 | 830.00 | 22 | 460.00 |
| Totals..... | 312 | \$3,815.00 | 78 | \$1,475.00 |

BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION

In accordance with custom, I beg to submit a report of the work performed by the Bureau of Identification for the year ending December 31, 1927.

| | | |
|--|-------|--------|
| Number of persons photographed, finger printed and measured | 1,601 | |
| Number of photographs made from above negatives..... | | 15,500 |
| Number of copies of photographs of persons wanted or missing | 38 | |
| Number of photographs made from negatives..... | | 380 |
| Duplicates made from negatives on hand..... | | 3,200 |
| Applicants for special patrolmen photographed and finger-printed | 101 | |
| Number of photographs made from above negatives..... | | 202 |
| | 1,740 | 19,282 |
| Number of repeaters brought into the Bureau during year 1927 | 1,393 | |
| Total number of persons handled..... | | 3,133 |
| Number of sets of fingerprints and photographs sent to National Bureau and other cities..... | 5,500 | |
| Number of sets of fingerprints received from other cities | 1,000 | |

In addition to the above work, all applications for soft drink and chauffeurs' licenses have been looked up.

Respectfully,

JOSEPH T. WHITWELL,
Chief of Bertillon System.

TOTAL NUMBER OF ARRESTS

| Precincts | Male | Female | Total |
|--------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Headquarters | 1,912 | 142 | 2,054 |
| No. 1 | 6,003 | 322 | 6,325 |
| No. 2 | 1,413 | 431 | 1,844 |
| No. 3 | 2,529 | 388 | 2,917 |
| No. 4 | 3,437 | 517 | 3,954 |
| No. 5 | 529 | 50 | 579 |
| No. 6 | 579 | 52 | 631 |
| No. 7 | 873 | 64 | 937 |
| No. 8 | 1,843 | 149 | 1,992 |
| No. 9 | 634 | 33 | 667 |
| No. 10 | 1,020 | 121 | 1,141 |
| No. 11 | 1,138 | 98 | 1,236 |
| No. 12 | 1,021 | 57 | 1,078 |
| No. 13 | 1,190 | 87 | 1,277 |
| No. 14 | 377 | 14 | 391 |
| No. 15 | 414 | 16 | 430 |
| No. 16 | 515 | 28 | 543 |
| No. 17 | 299 | 17 | 316 |
| Sub. 17 | 17 | 1 | 18 |
| Patrol Boat | 29 | ..... | 29 |
| Totals | 25,772 | 2,587 | 28,359 |

SOCIAL CONDITION

| Precincts | Married | Single | Total |
|--------------------|---------|--------|--------|
| Headquarters | 918 | 1,146 | 2,054 |
| No. 1 | 2,963 | 3,362 | 6,325 |
| No. 2 | 873 | 971 | 1,844 |
| No. 3 | 1,374 | 1,543 | 2,917 |
| No. 4 | 1,849 | 2,105 | 3,954 |
| No. 5 | 252 | 327 | 579 |
| No. 6 | 284 | 347 | 631 |
| No. 7 | 432 | 505 | 937 |
| No. 8 | 938 | 1,054 | 1,992 |
| No. 9 | 297 | 370 | 667 |
| No. 10 | 529 | 612 | 1,141 |
| No. 11 | 570 | 666 | 1,236 |
| No. 12 | 493 | 585 | 1,078 |
| No. 13 | 586 | 691 | 1,277 |
| No. 14 | 168 | 223 | 391 |
| No. 15 | 179 | 251 | 430 |
| No. 16 | 244 | 299 | 543 |
| No. 17 | 163 | 153 | 316 |
| Sub. 17 | 6 | 12 | 18 |
| Boat | 10 | 19 | 29 |
| Totals | 13,128 | 15,241 | 28,359 |

AGES OF MALES

| | Under 10 | From 10 to 15 | From 15 to 20 | From 20 to 25 | From 25 to 30 | From 30 to 40 | From 40 to 50 | Over 50 | Total |
|--------------------|----------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------|--------|
| Headquarters | | 43 | 159 | 346 | 385 | 362 | 323 | 294 | 1,912 |
| No. 1 | 2 | 40 | 374 | 1,168 | 1,283 | 1,231 | 1,036 | 869 | 6,003 |
| No. 2 | 7 | 54 | 99 | 256 | 312 | 296 | 254 | 135 | 1,413 |
| No. 3 | 2 | 30 | 140 | 419 | 555 | 540 | 459 | 384 | 2,529 |
| No. 4 | | 18 | 162 | 653 | 800 | 757 | 552 | 495 | 3,437 |
| No. 5 | | 22 | 48 | 127 | 120 | 104 | 79 | 29 | 529 |
| No. 6 | 1 | 10 | 44 | 96 | 133 | 123 | 107 | 65 | 579 |
| No. 7 | 2 | 29 | 76 | 168 | 192 | 183 | 151 | 72 | 873 |
| No. 8 | 5 | 78 | 146 | 331 | 397 | 371 | 285 | 229 | 1,843 |
| No. 9 | 1 | 50 | 55 | 109 | 144 | 131 | 95 | 49 | 634 |
| No. 10 | | 52 | 89 | 210 | 217 | 198 | 179 | 75 | 1,020 |
| No. 11 | 5 | 81 | 87 | 207 | 237 | 203 | 192 | 126 | 1,138 |
| No. 12 | 5 | 37 | 85 | 193 | 231 | 209 | 187 | 74 | 1,021 |
| No. 13 | 8 | 70 | 72 | 201 | 251 | 247 | 214 | 127 | 1,190 |
| No. 14 | | 8 | 33 | 75 | 93 | 85 | 53 | 30 | 377 |
| No. 15 | | 11 | 31 | 87 | 109 | 100 | 63 | 13 | 414 |
| No. 16 | | 23 | 35 | 95 | 115 | 105 | 94 | 48 | 515 |
| No. 17 | | 10 | 33 | 70 | 70 | 59 | 46 | 11 | 299 |
| Sub. 17 | | | 1 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 3 | | 17 |
| Police Boat | | | 3 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 29 |
| Totals | 38 | 666 | 1,772 | 4,822 | 5,653 | 5,312 | 4,377 | 3,131 | 25,772 |

AGES OF FEMALES

| | Under 10 | From 10 to 15 | From 15 to 20 | From 20 to 25 | From 25 to 30 | From 30 to 40 | From 40 to 50 | Over 50 | Total |
|--------------|----------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------|-------|
| Headquarters | | 9 | 13 | 40 | 37 | 30 | 12 | 1 | 142 |
| No. 1 | | 2 | 11 | 72 | 86 | 75 | 54 | 22 | 322 |
| No. 2 | | 16 | 40 | 101 | 101 | 82 | 64 | 27 | 431 |
| No. 3 | | 9 | 54 | 99 | 97 | 83 | 33 | 13 | 388 |
| No. 4 | | 2 | 44 | 111 | 130 | 120 | 82 | 28 | 517 |
| No. 5 | | 2 | 3 | 12 | 18 | 12 | 2 | 1 | 50 |
| No. 6 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 11 | 16 | 12 | 6 | 1 | 52 |
| No. 7 | | 7 | 6 | 17 | 19 | 9 | 6 | | 64 |
| No. 8 | | 11 | 17 | 34 | 38 | 32 | 11 | 6 | 149 |
| No. 9 | | 1 | 2 | 12 | 12 | 5 | 1 | | 33 |
| No. 10 | | 1 | 14 | 29 | 31 | 25 | 17 | 4 | 121 |
| No. 11 | | | 1 | 10 | 29 | 30 | 22 | 6 | 98 |
| No. 12 | | | | 9 | 22 | 17 | 8 | 1 | 57 |
| No. 13 | | 2 | 4 | 24 | 29 | 10 | 18 | | 87 |
| Sub. 13 | | | | | 1 | | | | 1 |
| No. 14 | | | | 5 | 6 | 3 | | | 14 |
| No. 15 | | 1 | 2 | 7 | 4 | 2 | | | 16 |
| No. 16 | | | | 9 | 10 | 6 | 3 | | 28 |
| No. 17 | | | | 2 | 14 | 1 | | | 17 |
| Police Boat | | | | | | | | | |
| Totals | 1 | 64 | 215 | 604 | 700 | 554 | 339 | 110 | 2,587 |

NATIVITY

| | | | |
|-------------------|-----|------------------------------|--------|
| Arabia | 6 | India | 4 |
| Armenia | 12 | Ireland | 287 |
| Australia | 8 | Italy | 1,209 |
| Austria | 58 | Mexico | 38 |
| Belgium | 15 | Norway | 88 |
| Brazil | 6 | Poland | 2,698 |
| Bulgaria | 8 | Portugal | 1 |
| Canada | 260 | Roumania | 18 |
| China | 2 | Russia | 140 |
| Cuba | 6 | Scotland | 88 |
| Denmark | 17 | Slavonia | 20 |
| East Indies | 1 | South America | 2 |
| Egypt | 1 | Spain | 39 |
| England | 112 | Sweden | 92 |
| Finland | 22 | Switzerland | 5 |
| France | 74 | Syria | 41 |
| Germany | 298 | United States (Colored)..... | 3,569 |
| Greece | 187 | United States (Red)..... | 149 |
| Hebrew | 124 | United States (White)..... | 18,537 |
| Holland | 22 | | |
| Hungary | 95 | Total | 28,359 |

DISPOSITIONS

| | | | |
|----------------------------|-------|------------------------------|-------|
| Pending | 1,635 | Turned over to parents | 8 |
| Fined | 7,823 | Sent to Ingleside Home | 6 |
| Discharged | 6,537 | Ordered out of city | 391 |
| Sentence Suspended | 9,053 | Returned home | 7 |
| Sent to Penitentiary with- | | Delivered to Sheriff's | |
| out fine | 600 | Office | 39 |
| Sent to Almshouse | 5 | Delivered to District Attor- | |
| Delivered to Officers from | | ney's Office | 34 |
| Abroad | 25 | Warrant withdrawn | 103 |
| Delivered to U. S. Author- | | Placed on probation | 1,056 |
| ities | 24 | Probation continued | 42 |
| Returned to Reformatory, | | Sent to Good Shepherd | 12 |
| Institution and Asylum... | 6 | Sent to Salvation Army | |
| Committed to Jail | 177 | Home | 6 |
| Sent to Superintendent of | | Held for Grand Jury | 119 |
| Poor | 5 | No Bill found by Grand | |
| Sent to Reformatories and | | Jury | 7 |
| Prisons | 86 | Placed under bond | 262 |
| Sent to State Insane | | Sent to City Hospital | 286 |
| Asylum | 5 | | |

OCCUPATION OF THOSE ARRESTED

| | | | |
|----------------------------|-----|-------------------------|-------|
| Actors | 26 | Coppersmiths | 3 |
| Actresses | 1 | Coremakers | 20 |
| Agents | 86 | Cutlers | 2 |
| Architects | 4 | Crane operators | 37 |
| Artists | 4 | Deck hands | 2 |
| Automobile Makers | 7 | Dentists | 11 |
| Automobile Repairers | 71 | Domestics | 303 |
| Automobile Workers | 11 | Dredgemen | 1 |
| Ball players | 4 | Dressmakers | 11 |
| Bakers | 103 | Drillers | 10 |
| Barbers | 119 | Drivers | 80 |
| Bartenders | 67 | Drovers | 1 |
| Bellboys | 28 | Druggists | 26 |
| Beltmakers | 1 | Dyers | 4 |
| Blacksmiths | 65 | Decorators | 30 |
| Boatmen | 2 | Electricians | 123 |
| Boilermakers | 92 | Elevator boys | 2 |
| Bookbinders | 8 | Engineers | 116 |
| Bookkeepers | 78 | Engravers | 5 |
| Bootblacks | 12 | Farmers | 98 |
| Bottlers | 1 | Finishers | 26 |
| Boxmakers | 3 | Firemen | 230 |
| Brakemen | 93 | Fishdealers | 1 |
| Brassfinishers | 3 | Fishermen | 2 |
| Bricklayers | 116 | Florists | 21 |
| Brickmakers | 3 | Foremen | 102 |
| Bridgebuilders | 1 | Forgemen | 6 |
| Brokers | 65 | Fruit dealers | 28 |
| Buffers | 28 | Furniture dealers | 6 |
| Builders | 26 | Furriers | 19 |
| Butchers | 132 | Gardeners | 20 |
| Bankers | 6 | Gasfitters | 2 |
| Cabinetmakers | 13 | Glassblowers | 8 |
| Calkers | 1 | Glaziers | 6 |
| Car drivers | 2 | Grocers | 58 |
| Carpenters | 358 | Hackmen | 1 |
| Carpetfitters | 1 | Hairdressers | 4 |
| Car repairers | 57 | Hatters | 4 |
| Cartmen | 39 | Helpers | 84 |
| Carvers | 1 | Horsedealers | 1 |
| Chauffeurs | 727 | Horseshoers | 5 |
| Chemists | 36 | Hostlers | 24 |
| Cigarmakers | 15 | Hotelkeepers | 15 |
| Civil engineers | 1 | Housekeepers | 2,061 |
| Clerks | 624 | Hucksters | 30 |
| Coal dealers | 22 | Icedealers | 21 |
| Collectors | 25 | Insurance agents | 40 |
| Conductors | 48 | Inspectors | 46 |
| Confectioners | 12 | Ironworkers | 191 |
| Contractors | 63 | Janitors | 14 |
| Cooks | 231 | Jewelers | 18 |
| Coopers | 6 | Junk dealers | 13 |

| | | | |
|----------------------|--------|------------------------------|-------|
| Laundrymen | 7 | Rag pickers | 1 |
| Laborers | 14,419 | Railroad employees | 47 |
| Lathers | 10 | Reporters | 4 |
| Lawyers | 56 | Restaurant keepers | 65 |
| Linemen | 24 | Real estate agents | 40 |
| Lithographers | 7 | Roofers | 33 |
| Locksmiths | 1 | Retired | 11 |
| Lumber dealers | 1 | Salesmen | 1,432 |
| Mechanics | 150 | Sailors | 415 |
| Malsters | 2 | Soft drink proprietors | 98 |
| Mattressmakers | 1 | Seamstresses | 4 |
| Managers | 84 | Ship carpenters | 10 |
| Manufacturers | 4 | Shoemakers | 43 |
| Machinists | 344 | Showmen | 8 |
| Marble cutters | 1 | Silkworkers | 24 |
| Masons | 24 | Slaters | 3 |
| Merchants | 170 | Soapmakers | 1 |
| Ministers | 1 | Soldiers | 26 |
| Millers | 22 | Special detectives | 5 |
| Millwrights | 36 | Storekeepers | 70 |
| Miners | 15 | Stonecutters | 12 |
| Milk dealers | 14 | Stenographers | 15 |
| Moulders | 158 | Stevedors | 1 |
| Musicians | 69 | Steamfitters | 36 |
| Milliners | 4 | Switchmen | 63 |
| Motormen | 40 | Schoolboys | 750 |
| Nailcutters | 1 | Schoolgirls | 73 |
| Newsboys | 10 | Scoopers | 24 |
| Newsdealers | 6 | Students | 117 |
| No occupation | 166 | Steeple jacks | 5 |
| Nurses | 9 | Tailors | 96 |
| Pavers | 1 | Teachers | 11 |
| Packers | 13 | Teamsters | 106 |
| Painters | 470 | Telegraph operators | 38 |
| Paper hangers | 41 | Tinsmiths | 22 |
| Patternmakers | 11 | Truckmen | 37 |
| Peddlers | 31 | Trunkmakers | 2 |
| Photographers | 16 | Tuners | 1 |
| Physicians | 26 | Turners | 4 |
| Planers | 1 | Umbrellamakers | 3 |
| Plasterers | 33 | Undertakers | 13 |
| Plumbers | 66 | Upholsterers | 11 |
| Policemen | 7 | Waitresses | 49 |
| Porters | 104 | Waiters | 149 |
| Polishers | 25 | Watchmen | 26 |
| Potters | 9 | Weavers | 10 |
| Printers | 59 | Wireworkers | 6 |
| Pugilists | 4 | Woolenworkers | 7 |
| | | Woodworkers | 20 |

OFFENSES

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|-----------------------------------|-------|
| Abandonment | 75 | Corner lounging | 101 |
| Abduction | 2 | Counterfeiting ..... | ..... |
| Adultery | 31 | Criminally Receiving ..... | ..... |
| Arson | 14 | Stolen Property | 78 |
| Suspicion of Arson | 1 | Cruelty to animals | 6 |
| Assault, attempted | 11 | Cruelty to children, women ..... | ..... |
| Assault, first degree | 79 | D. C. 9-2 | 263 |
| Assault, second degree | 374 | Defrauding hotelkeepers | 97 |
| Assault, third degree | 1,213 | Deserting, U. S. army, navy ..... | ..... |
| Abortion | 6 | or marines | 22 |
| AUTOMOBILE VIOLATIONS | | Dipsomania | 7 |
| Driving under age | 1 | Disorderly conduct | 695 |
| Driving while intoxicated | 243 | Disorderly persons | 689 |
| Failing to report accident | 47 | Dogs unmuzzled | 66 |
| Muffler open | 8 | Drunkenness | 8,929 |
| No license plate | 81 | Educational law violators | 8 |
| No lights | 350 | Escaped lunatics | 1 |
| Non registered | 11 | Escaped prisoners | 11 |
| Parking violation | 1,756 | Extortion | 1 |
| Passing to left of street ..... | ..... | D. C. 9-2, men | 52 |
| car | 57 | Forgery | 6 |
| Reckless driving | 231 | Forgery, second degree | 7 |
| Smoking auto | 1 | Fortune telling | 1 |
| Speed ordinance violation | 435 | Fugitive from justice | 13 |
| Traffic ordinance violation | 913 | Gambling | 132 |
| Unlicensed chauffeur | 409 | Gambling room keeping | 14 |
| Passing signal | 161 | GRAND LARCENY | |
| Bastardy | 18 | Grand Larceny, 1st degree | 90 |
| Bench warrants | 36 | Grand Larceny, 2nd degree | 253 |
| Bicycle riding on sidewalk | 1 | Grand Larceny, suspicion of | 2 |
| Bigamy | 7 | Grand Larceny, automobile | 306 |
| Blackmailing | 1 | Grand Larceny, check | 17 |
| Burglary | 3 | Grand Larceny, pickpocket | 9 |
| Burglary, first degree | 19 | Grand Larceny, pocketbook | 2 |
| Burglary, second degree | 21 | Grand Larceny, sneak | 3 |
| Burglary, third degree | 226 | Grand Larceny, wire | 1 |
| Burglary, attempt | 10 | General business law | 2 |
| BURGLARY AND LAR- | | Health law | 77 |
| CENY | 2 | House of illfame, keeping | 26 |
| Burglary and Larceny, ..... | ..... | Dyer Act | 1 |
| warehouse | 3 | Impersonating an officer | 10 |
| Burglary and Larceny, ..... | ..... | Incest | 2 |
| clothing store | 2 | Indecent exposure | 15 |
| Burglary and Larceny, ..... | ..... | Insanity | 121 |
| miscellaneous | 2 | Interfering with officer | 10 |
| Burglary and Larceny, ..... | ..... | Juvenile delinquency | 753 |
| residence window | 1 | Kidnaping | 1 |
| City ordinance violation | 408 | Labor law violations | 25 |
| Code Criminal Pro. ..... | ..... | Larceny, attempt at | 14 |
| violation | 673 | Larceny, suspicion of | 1 |
| Concealed weapons, carry- ..... | ..... | Malicious mischief | 16 |
| ing | 125 | Manslaughter | 13 |

| | |
|-------------------------------|-----|
| Murder | 16 |
| Park ordinance | 29 |
| Parole violation | 21 |
| Peace warrants | 2 |
| Peddling without license..... | 16 |
| Penal Code violation | 482 |
| Perjury | 8 |
| Petit Larceny | 662 |
| Check | 26 |
| Miscellaneous | 3 |
| Shop lifting | 117 |
| Sneak | 9 |
| Postal law violation | 1 |
| Probation violation | 358 |
| Prohibition | 146 |
| Public Intoxication | 596 |
| Rape | 69 |
| Rape, attempt | 4 |
| Resisting officer | 3 |

| ROBBERY | |
|-----------------------------|-------|
| Robbery, street | 125 |
| Robbery, attempt | 14 |
| Secreting stolen property.. | 2 |
| Seduction | 1 |
| Selling mortgaged property | 4 |
| Smuggling | 33 |
| Sodomy | 14 |
| Spitting ordinance | 2 |
| Suicide, attempt | 51 |
| Sunday law violation | 614 |
| Suspicious persons | 3 |
| Swindling | 1 |
| Train riding | 10 |
| Tramps | 112 |
| Truancy | 36 |
| Unlawful intrusion | 244 |
| U. S. law violation | 48 |
| Vagrancy | 3,128 |
| Witness | 309 |

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